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In Footwear at prices lower than the lowest. Look in our window and see our prices before buying elsewhere.

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Beginners Tuesday at 8 o'clock.
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STARTLING STATEMENT

Made by Miss Smith, Who Knows Walling and Jackson.

Letters Written to Her Contain Damaging Evidence Against Jackson as the Murderer.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 19.—Two morning papers this morning publish a startling statement made to them by Miss May Smith, of Louisville, who is acquainted with the accused murderers, Walling and Jackson. She says she was in Cincinnati, January 14, and took supper with Jackson at Heider's restaurant. Jackson told her that his friend Will Wood, at Green Castle, Ind., had got a girl into a bad condition; that Wood was going to send the girl here and he would put her out of the way. Miss Smith says she cautioned Jackson of the danger of discovery in such an enterprise. He said he was too smart to be discovered. She said after the murder of February 1, Jackson wrote to her saying that "he had disposed of the girl (meaning, Pearl Bryan) by a ——" The long dash in the letter was left for Miss Smith to fill from her memory of the conversation at Heider's, on January 14. She says she left that letter in Louisville securely hidden. If that letter in Jackson's handwriting can be obtained it will be damaging evidence. If what she says about its hiding place is true, the letter will be here tomorrow.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 19.—Investigation in this city into the life of May Smith, who is connected with Jackson and Walling in the Pearl Bryan affair, developes the fact that she came here early in January, being employed by Brion Lister and wife in the dress cutting business. The Listers opened up an establishment here on January 4 at 621 Fourth avenue. Lister had been formerly with Mrs. Fuson's cutting school in No. 5253 Glen building, corner of Fifth and Race streets, Cincinnati, Ohio. A few days after opening up their establishment adjoining their residence, they were joined by May Smith, who came from Mrs. Fuson's school to teach for Mr. and Mrs. Lister. She remained there until Saturday night a week ago, when her brother from Covington called for her to take her home. Mr. Lister said this morning that on reading the first account of the affair the girl appeared horrified, as she had been in correspondence with both Jackson and Walling, and had told Mrs. Lister that she was engaged to Walling. Mrs. Lister had seen letters addressed to both men. When the account came out in the newspapers that May Smith had also been operated on by Walling and Jackson the girl stoutly denied it. Mr. Lister said, however, that about a week before Christmas, while in the employment of Mrs. Fuson, the girl was absent from the office a whole week, and if the operation was performed, it was performed at that time. Mr. Lister also declared that when the girl came back to work, she appeared altogether changed and appeared thinner and looked sickly. May Smith is between eighteen and twenty years of age, and has dark eyes and black hair, and is quite pretty.

Mr. Lister says that a man named Swan, who is connected with the Palace hotel, in Cincinnati, was a correspondent of May Smith, and that she was continually getting letters from Swan, Walling and Jackson.

When the locket was found in Cincinnati he heard May exclaim:

"Why, I know that locket. It was Jackson's, and contained a lock of Pearl Bryan's hair."

"I am positive," he said, "that she knew of the operation performed on Pearl Bryan by Walling."

Concerning the letters and papers of the Smith girl, the lady who keeps the boarding house at 621 Fourth street, said today that there had been a lot of letters and telegrams found under the matress of the bed which May Smith occupied, but that they had been burned by a little girl in the house. Mrs. Lister said: "I did not read the letters, but the lady of the house did. One was from a girl in Cincinnati which said Lon was sick. Lon is Walling, you know.

"The letter was dated after the day of the murder. The letters were of no importance and had no bearing on the case and were burned." There was one letter from Jackson, in which it was stated that Walling was in trouble about a girl.

TAKEN BACK TO KANSAS.

Alleged Bigamist Howe Sent to Confront One Wife.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb 19—The police last night took C. H. Howe, the alleged bigamist arrested here Thursday night, to Kansas City, Kas., where, as H. C. Wilmoth, he married Miss Ora Wilkins last December. He also had a wife, it is said, Mrs. Belle Buell, at Effingham, Ill., whom he married as H. C. Howard. Miss Wilkins' brothers came here to identify him, and accompanied the police back. He claims to have a sister, Mrs. Fred Osborne, living at No 327 Eastern avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

FOUR INDICTMENTS.

Grand Jury at Crown Point Does Quick Work With the Accused.

CROWN POINT, Ind., Feb. 19.—The grand jury today returned four indictments for murder in the first degree. Those indicted are Emanuel Morris, a colored jockey at the Roby track, for stabbing William Judge, who just died in a Chicago hospital; Joseph Wavoritik, Mary Waworitik, his wife, and Nick Kakio, who, it is supposed, murdered the two Huns at Whiting last week. Jockey Morris merely laughed when told he was held for murder, saying that he did not care. Kakic will endeavor to get a release from jail by habeas corpus proceedings. He claims he is a resident of Illinois and was kidnapped by Indiana authorities and brought over the state line against his will. The four were held without bail.

ANOTHER REBELION.

Corea Again the Scene of a Revolution.

The Governor of Tan-Yang Captured by the Rebels—The Trouble Due to an Order to Cut Off the Queques.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 19.—The steamer Pekin, from Yokohama, arrived this morning. Another rebelion has broken out in Corea. The governor of the Tan-Yang district has been taken prisoner by the rebels. The Corean troops defeated the rebels in two engagements, but the rebels are not yet subdued. The insurrection was caused by a royal proclamation requiring the Coreans to sacrifice their queques and wear their hair in western fashion. Several Japanese papers condemn the release of Viscount Miura, charged with instigating the murder of the Corean queen as a gross miscarriage of justice. Miura was Japanese minister at the Corean court, and after a brief preliminary examination at Hiroshima he was allowed to depart. The judge said he was convinced Miura incited the murder of the queen, if his connection with her death was not even closer, but as the evidence might not convict Miura at a trial, the preliminary examination did not hold him. The lower house of the Japanese parliament has passed a newspaper bill rescinding the power of the government to suspend newspapers.

The warlike opposition to the Japanese has moderated, except in the mountain districts. All of North Formosa is under military rule. It is expected Japanese reinforcement will proceed against the rebel army now in the mountains.

NEGLECTED DUTY.

General Vifquain Calls Americans to Time.

Wants Them to Compete With England and France for Business in Panama.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19—If English and French business houses can afford to pay their traveling agents on the Isthmus of Panama $12,000 a year, including expenses, why cannot American firms do as well, is the question put by United States Consul General Vifquain at Panama, in a report to the state department treating on the unsatisfactory rate of progress made by Americans in obtaining business on the isthmus. The consul general says that this cannot be done by correspondence, and he suggests that our merchants, by combination, maintain a house of samples at Panama where their goods may be seen by the people and ordered through a resident agent.

CHILIAN WHEAT NO GOOD,

Yet It is Taking the Place of the American Product.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Last year Chilian wheat to the amount 1,185,020 bushels was imported to Peru. United States Consul Jastremisti, at Alka, who reports the fact to the state department, says that this wheat is not well adapted to the making of white bread or pastry, and it cannot bear comparison with California white wheat, which might easily command the Peruvian market if there were a line of direct steam communication down the coast.

Arizona Carnival.

PHOENIX, Ari, Feb. 19—Over 1,000 strangers have arrived to attend the carnival which opened this morning, and several special trains will be due today. This morning there was a literary program in the park and the largest street parade ever held in the southwest, participated in by regulars, militia, civic societies, fire department and a thousand Indians of all kinds, cowboys, etc. Seventy floats were also in line. The decorations are of exceptional beauty and the electrical display attractive.

MAHER TRAINING.

Wears Goggles. But Will be Able to Drop Them by Friday.

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 19—The condition of Maher's eyes is reported this morning to be improved over that of yesterday and he will today go through his regular routine of training. He will be compelled to wear goggles for a day or two, but it is reported from his training quarters that he will be in condition to enter the ring on Friday.

GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 19.—Rumor is current here that Maher and Fitzsimmons will leave El Paso tonight, arrive at Galveston Friday afternoon and take steam tug with barge attached and go three or four miles into the Gulf of Mexico and fight for the championship before the kinetoscope and a few witnesses. It is said the kinetoscope people are willing to pay the purse and all expenses, and Stuart, despairing of the crowd at El Paso, is willing to do anything that will let him out on the deal. The scheme seems to be entirely feasible and is believed by sports here to be in contemplation, if not actually agreed upon.

Royal Sympathy.

BERLIN, Feb. 19—The Empress of Germany today received Mrs. Runyon, widow of the late United States ambassador, in an audience of condolence.

STRIKE THREATENED

Among the Workers in the Manufacture of Clothing.

Chicago Will Witness a Strike That Will Only End After a Long and Bitter Struggle.

CHICAGO, Jan 19—It is the general belief among men connected with the manufacture of clothing that the biggest strike of workers in that line that Chicago has ever witnessed is at hand and that it will only end after a long and bitter struggle. Strike talk was heard on all sides at the headquarters of the Clothing Cutters' and Trimmers' association last night. One after another of the shop presidents dropped in and joined in a conference and it looked as if a general strike might be ordered for today. It was finally decided, however, to leave decisive action to a special meeting of the cutters and trimmers, which has been called for tonight. Then it is almost certain a strike of every union man in every clothing factory in the city, where the proprietors are known to have taken part in the meeting which decided to make war on the union will be ordered. To determine who are friendly and who are opposed to the organization the union has ordered each shop president to have an interview with the proprietor and report to the meeting tonight. The men were informed yesterday in a formal statement by the manufacturers that it had been decided to deal with the cutters and trimmers as individuals and refuse to recognize the officers of the union. Last night the cutters and trimmers employed by two firms decided not to go to work this morning. This makes six firms where the cutters have struck since being informed of the action of the manufacturers.

THE WORK OF RESCUE

Goes Bravely on at the Ill-Fated Mine.

It is Now Estimated That the Number of Entombed Men Will Reach Sixty.

NEW CASTLE, Col., Feb 19—All night a throng of weeping women and children stood about the mouth of the Vulcan mine, while a hardy band of rescuers were working earnestly and systematically in the hope of soon being able to reach the sixty or seventy entombed miners, all of whom, it is conceded, must now be dead.

The men succeeded in entering the shaft about 200 feet, but were driven out by the black damp and gas, which was continually belching forth.

John Evans, who went 300 feet down the main slope, reported the timbers in good shape and that the mine was only wrecked at the mouth of the slope, where the gas has an opportunity to expand.

The work of putting a new fan in place, so as to supply fresh air and make it possible for rescuers to penetrate the mine to the levels where the men were working when the explosion occurred was prosecuted throughout the night with all possible speed and the fan was in operation early this morning.

Opinions differ as to the cause of the explosion. Some say it was caused by a windy shot, others believe there was an explosion of coal dust, asserting that the company had been negligent in not having the rooms sprinkled as often as the law requires. It is impossible as yet to give a full and accurate list of the killed, as the list of those on duty at the time of the explosion is supposed to be in the pocket of Pit Boss James Harrison, who lies at the bottom of the slope, probably dead.

ALLEGED CORRUPTION.

Policemen are Arrested Charged With Extortion and Blackmail.

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 19.—That the Danville police force is rotten to the core is generally admitted. It is the sensation of the hour. Policeman Stokes and G. W. Ridley, candidate for alderman, were arrested Saturday for extortion. Today Policemen Stokes and Moore were arrested on another charge of blackmail. It is charged that they extorted $100 in property out of Horace Howorth and Bert Pritchard, of Georgetown, in order to secure themselves against arrest for stealing a robe from Kendal's livery stable. Moore, it is said, got a horse worth $60 and a note for $40, on which he sued for collection.

Secures an Editorial Position.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19—Slason Thompson, until recently editor in chief of the Evening Journal, has accepted a position on the editorial staff of the Evening Post.

A STARTLING DISCLOSURE.

Applicant for Pension Married an Undivorced Man.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 19.—Government officials have just finished investigating a matter brought up here by an application for a widow's pension, which has developed a peculiar state of affairs and places a highly respected lady in a decidedly embarrassing position. Early in 1872 John C. Curtis brought suit against his wife, Julia, for divorce. During their absence from the city their attorneys, considering both non-residents, withdrew the application by agreement. Meanwhile the local newspapers erroneously announced that a divorce had been granted and friends furnished both parties with copies of the papers. A year later Mrs. Curtis remarried and five years later Curtis followed suit. Since then both have died, and Mrs. Curtis No. 2 moved to Chicago, from where she made application for pension by virtue of the fact that she was the widow of the deceased soldier. This led the government to investigate the case, with the result that she was confronted with the fact that she is the widow of an undivorced man. The whereabouts of Mrs. Curtis No. 1's husband is unknown.

HENCH GOES UP.

Elevated to Second Place on the Grand Lodge Roster.

A Worthy Fort Wayne Citizen Honored by His A. O. U. W. Brethren.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 19.—The grand lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen of Indiana met in this city yesterday in its seventh biennial session, with Grand Master T. D. Neal in the chair. The other grand officers were all present, but the attendance of representatives was not so large as the last meeting.

Grand Master Workman Neal resigned for business reason. The resignation was accepted by the grand lodge after Mr. Neal had explained his position by stating that it was impossible, for private reasons, for Grand Foreman Harry S. Chester to fill the office of grand master workman. By his resignation a vacancy would thus occur, and by reason of such vacancy Harry S. Chester would succeed him. Upon this understanding the resignation was accepted. The other officers were promoted in regular line. Supreme Foreman J. G. Tate, of Grand Island, Neb., is in attendance. Ninety eight persons were given the grand lodge degree.

The afternoon session of yesterday was taken up with the report of the committee on laws. Some minor changes were made. The per capita tax was left at $1 50.

A public session was held last night. Mayor Schafer welcomed the visitors and ex Grand Master Neal responded, followed by an address by J. G. Tate.

The election of officers took place this morning and resulted as follows:

Past Grand Master Workman—Harry S. Chester, of Elkhart.

Grand Master Workman—Thomas D. Neal, of Frankton.

Grand Foreman—George R. Hench, of Fort Wayne.

Grand Overseer—John D. Mitchell, of New Albany.

Grand Guide—R. C. Baxter, of Auburn.

Inside Watchman—L. M. Earl, of Evansville.

Outside Watchman—Titus Cummings, of Tell City.

Grand Medical Examiner—Dr. Douglass D. Ramsey, of Mt. Vernon.

Supreme Representatives—T. D. Neal, H. S. Chester, James Cox.

Alternates—C. C. Genung, L. H. Carr, P. H Barrett.

The per capita tax was left as it was last year, no change being made. A motion to create an emergency fund was referred to the committee on laws.

New Railroad.

SUN DANCE, Wyo., Feb. 19.—The Wyoming and Black Hills railroad company, with a capital stock of $3,000,000 has been organized here. Henry M. Cutter, of Boston, Valentine Baker, of Cheyenne, and Apha A. Merritt, of this place, were elected trustees of the company for the first year. The object of the company is to build a line from Spear Fish, S. D., to Sun Dance in order to open the rich coal fields of this vicinity.

Horrible Death.

NORMAN, Okla., Feb. 17.—Martin Bell, twenty-five years old, was killed at Linden, a few miles from here, in a shocking manner. He was employed at a sawmill and was carrying a piece of timber. When near the large saw he tripped and fell forward, his body falling across the saw. Both arms were cut off and his head was separated from his body.

Prophesied His Own Death.

BRAZIL, Ind., Feb. 19—Joseph Abbott, an old soldier of Staunton, died suddenly Monday. He returned from a visit to Pennsylvania ten days ago, and he told his friends that he would be dead in ten days. He was apparently in good health; nevertheless, he died on the tenth day of heart disease. The deceased was fifty-five years old.

Burned to Death.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 19.—News has been received here of the death by prairie fire of three Mexicans near Laguna Corronodas, Hockley county. The men went into camp and while asleep the grass was ignited by sparks from their camp fire and before they could escape they were so badly burned that all died in a short time.

A Wedding at Greensburg.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Feb. 19—John Houser and Miss Nettie P. Phillips were united in marriage last night by the Rev. J. W. Duncan. Miss Phillips is about fifty years old. The bridegroom is about seventy five years old and is worth about $60,000.

Messrs. L. H. Wise, H. H. Ludwig and D. H. Edwards, the county commissioners of Van Wert county, Ohio, were in the city yesterday, looking at our county infirmary and inspecting the steam apparatus at the institution. They visited our county commissioners and returned to their homes last evening.

Miss Louise Hilgeman, of East Washington street, celebrated her birthday last evening.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

POLITICAL SURPRISES.

Pennsylvania Upset the Calculations of the Bosses.

Democrats and Republicans Exchange Honors in Routing Each Other in the Municipalities.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 19—The plurality of 80,903 given yesterday for John L. Kinsey, the republican candidate for city solicitor in this city, has only been exceeded once. In 1894 Governor Hastings got a "tidal wave" plurality of 85,132 In selectmen the the democrats have only three out of thirty seven members, a loss of four.

All of the morning papers agree that reform was "snowed under." In many instances councilmanic candidates opposed vigorously by the Municipal league were reelected by larger majorities than ever before, notwithstanding the appeals issued by the league to citizens, "to elect a better class of men to the council, who will give the people better water, better gas, municipal ownership of electric lights and cheaper street car fares,' and incidentally, "overthrow the bosses."

For the first time since its organization the league ran a candidate on the general ticket in the person of John A. McCarthy for magistrate. Out of 185,481 votes cast, 7 072 were for McCarthy. This is regarded by many as the strength of the league in this city, although the vote was so cut up by ward fights that it is difficult to estimate the actual number of league ballots cast.

In the state there were many surprises. Republicans carried democratic strongholds and democrats were successful where republicanism had formerly held sway. This was due in every instance to local conditions. The greater number of victories are, however, to be credited to the republicans. Probably the most interesting fight in the state, outside of Pittsburg, was in Scranton, where ex-Mayor Connell and Congressman Scranton, leaders of rival republican factions, had a bitter fight. The latter was successful, with the aid of democratic votes, electing James G. Bailey, democrat, mayor and the balance of the democratic ticket by about 500 plurality. Mr. Scranton bolted the republican convention and was nominated on a rival ticket, but afterwards withdrew his candidates and supported the democrats. At Reading, in a total vote of over 11,000, Jacob Weidel, democrat, was elected mayor by 164 majority. They also elected Henry G. Young city treasurer, but Adam H. Leader, republican, was chosen controller by a big majority. At York, after a hot fight, Charles W. Brandt, democrat, was elected mayor by twenty-eight majority. Altoona elected H. C. Barr, republican, mayor and George Harpham, republican, controller by about 200 majority. Last night the election of their democratic opponents were conceded. The rest of the republican ticket got 800 majority. The democrats gained three common councilmen.

The unexpected happened at Williamsport, where in a hot three-cornered fight, the prohibitionists elected James Mansel mayor by about 300 plurality.

OHIO LIQUOR TAX INCREASED.

New Law Raises the Assessment From $200 to $300.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 19.—The legislature yesterday took a decided step in the direction of regulating the liquor traffic of the state. For many years no special tax was paid by the liquor dealers in Ohio, but for the last five years each saloon was assessed $200. Yesterday a bill was enacted into a law requiring each wholesaler and retailer in liquor to pay an annual tax of $300.

INDIANA COAL MINES CLOSE.

About 300 Men Thrown Out of Work at Brazil.

BRAZIL, Ind., Feb. 19—The mining business here at present is very dull The Block Coal company closed down one of their mines today and the Zeller Coal company likewise closed their American Beauty mine, throwing altogether 300 men out of employment. The operators claim the demand for coal is extremely meager, necessitating the closing down of some of the mines.

THOUGHT HE TOOK QUININE.

David Taylor May Die From Somebody's Carelessness.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Feb. 18—David Taylor, a well known mechanic, is in a critical condition from taking a drug bought for quinine. He fell unconscious on the street.

Kennel Club Show.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19—The twentieth annual bench show of the Westminster Kennel club opened in Madison Square Garden today and will be continued until Saturday night. Former exhibitions have begun on Tuesdays and ended on Fridays.

Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary.

PORTLAND, Ind., Feb. 18—Mr. and Mrs. Moses F. Smith, of this city, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding yesterday with a large gathering. They were married in Ohio in 1836.

Died of His Injuries.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Feb. 18—Alonzo Strange, age thirty-two years, died last night of injuries sustained by falling from a hay mow one week ago.

VENDER OF BAD MEAT.

Indiana Appellate Court Indorses the Sentence of Emil Moeschke.

INDIANAPOLIS Feb. 19.—The appellate court ruled that the Lake circuit court did not err in the conviction and sentence of Emil Moeschke, of Hammond, who was fined $500 and imprisoned for six months for selling diseased horseflesh for food. It was sought to have the case reversed because the complaint did not allege that the meat was sold in the state, an averment which the higher court holds to be immaterial.

ANOTHER PRESENT

Received by Mayor Oakley, This Time a Surprise.

He Found it in His Front Yard This Morning—City Hall News and Notes.

Mayor Oakley received another present this morning but it was not given to him with a speech and he does not know who to thank for it. This morning when the colonel looked out of a front window at his residence on West Main street he found in the front yard an empty beer barrel. It had been thrown in there during the night. The mayor appreciated the joke and thinks of using the barrel as a flower pot next summer.

BOARD MEETS TONIGHT.

The board of public safety has a regular weekly meeting tonight but just what it is for is a mystery. At the office of the board this morning it was stated that there was nothing to come up for consideration and nobody could imagine what the board would have to do. The only matter the board had under consideration was the contract for the new patrol wagon and this was let last Saturday.

WILL START FRIDAY.

The contract of Martin Schele for hauling garbage expires tomorrow. Friday morning the new garbage wagons will be started out to make the rounds of the city. The new contractors will begin their work on that day.

Dr. W. H. Myers has returned from Chicago, where he witnessed some experiments with the Roentgen rays in photography. The experiments were very successful.

Dr. Enslen yesterday afternoon performed an operation upon Edward Cleary, of Shawnee avenue, removing a tumor from between the thumb and first finger of the left hand.

$100,000.00 ANNUALLY

From Fort Wayne for Missions and Church Benevolent Societies.

Given by the Old Fort Spice and Extract company. They have formulated a plan whereby the Missionary societies of various denominations and church societies throughout the United States can create a source of untold amount of revenue for their treasury, and without any labor on the part of the society.

The Old Fort Spice and Extract company have proposed to furnish through the wholesale and retail trade the above societies with a high grade of Baking Powder and Flavoring Extracts under the title or name of "Missionary Baking Powder" and "Missionary Flavoring Extracts," and with each package of baking powder and flavoring extract they guarantee to put a redeemable coupon ranging from 1c to 5c as follows:

1 lb can Missionary Baking Powder with a 5c redeemable coupon, 25c.

½ lb can Missionary Baking Powder with a 3c redeemable coupon, 15c.

¼ lb can Missionary Baking Powder with a 2c redeemable coupon, 10c.

1 bottle Missionary Vanilla Extract with a 2c redeemable coupon, 15c.

1 bottle Missionary Lemon Extract with a 1c redeemable coupon, 10c.

These coupons represent cash to the Missionary societies or other church benevolent societies. All this company asks or requests of the several societies as a consideration on their part is to use and have their friends and neighbors use Missionary Baking Powder and Missionary Flavoring Extracts and save the coupons thus obtained, and turn the same over to their treasurer as cash, which will be redeemed by the Old Fort Spice and Extract company or any of the national banks of Fort Wayne, Ind., in sums of $1 and upward for their face value, only when presented by the treasurer of the Missionary or church societies.

These goods are guaranteed to have no superior on the market and the same high grade and purity will be maintained. These goods will be placed upon the market through the wholesale and retail trade throughout the United States The Old Fort Spice and Extract company have patented the word "Missionary" in connection with the various articles they manufacture, so as to protect the dealer and the members of the various missionary and church societies and their friends, as the Old Fort Spice and Extract company guarantee a redeemable coupon in each package, which represents cash to the missionary and church societies.

This is by far the best plan we as missionaries have ever seen to aid us, as we have made a very careful computation and find that if only each member would use one pound of the missionary Baking Powder during twelve months over one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) will be paid into our treasury for the coupons we have gathered and had turned over for cash.

Miss Alma Nichols, of No. 224 Indiana avenue, is ill

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

TRIO OF TOUGHS

Create a Reign of Terror in the East End.

Set Fire to a Barn, Knock a Man Senseless, Steal Beer, Get Drunk and in Jail.

The east end of the city was terrorized yesterday afternoon by a trio of young toughs named Charles Steedley, Edward Lauer and Walter Cherry. The police were called to quell what was reported to be a riot and the affair turned out to be a bloody one.

Steedley, Lauer and Cherry got drunk yesterday afternoon and proceeded to raise a disturbance. They are charged with stealing some beer at the Berghoff brewery with which they became intoxicated. They tried to break into several residences on Dwenger avenue, frightening women and children almost to death and making all sorts of threats toward them. At the residence of Newton Relue they entered the barn and built a fire. Here they continued their orgies, drinking and making a racket until the place became too quiet for them and they left. Upon leaving the barn they did not extinguish the fire but left it burning. Neighbors and children who saw the fire had to gather after the gang had left and put out the fire with buckets of water to prevent the barn from burning down. A large hole was burned in the floor and some of the contents of the place were also destroyed.

The trio of toughs then headed for the soap factory. On the road they met John C. Coling, who drives a butcher's wagon. Coling had a load of tallow on the wagon. This was dumped off by the young desperadoes, and they attacked Coling with a large bone which was in one of the barrels on the wagon. Coling got away from them and ran to the soap factory. Gus Berghoff saw the fracas and ordered the three fellows away. They then went after him. Berghoff seized a long iron poker and called out the employes of the factory and they started in to clean out the gang. Martin Bisson, one of the neighbors who had also arrived, was struck on the head and face by one of the rioters with the same bone which had been used on Coling. Bisson was knocked senseless and had to be carried home unconscious. Berghoff was also struck on the hand with the same bone.

The riot assumed a desperate character and it was seen that something decisive had to be done. A hurry-up call was sent to the police station. Then the soap factory men chased the toughs foward the river. They surrounded two of them, Lauer and Cherry, at the water's edge. Lauer was easily captured, but Cherry jumped into the river to escape. He soon changed his mind, however, and came out and gave himself up.

By this time the patrol wagon, with Lieutenant Lapp, Sergeant Jewell and Officer Hines arrived and took charge of the prisoners. Steedley had not yet been captured, but Hines caught sight of him and gave chase. After ruuning him all over that part of town, through buildings, streets, alleys, etc., the tough was brought to bay and taken to the police station with his two companions.

This morning, in police court, Steedley, Lauer and Cherry were bound over to circuit court in the sum of $300 on a charge of assault and battery. In circuit court they will also be charged with riot, larceny, arson and intoxication.

Bisson, the man who was knocked senseless by the gang, was in a serious condition this morning. His face and head are badly cut. Gus Berghoff's hand was also cut and he carries it in a sling.

CHICAGO'S BLACK SNOW

It Proves to Be Silt and Clay.

Gathered From the Fields of Nebraska and Carried Hundreds of Miles in the Air.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19—An official statement concerning Chicago's black snow was given to the Associated Press today by Chief Moore, of the weather bureau. Mr. Moore's explanation is as follows:

"The black snow that has lately fallen in Chicago and the northwest is entirely similar to the great fall of January, 1895, the nature of which was thoroughly investigated by the weather bureau at that time. Notwithstanding the theoretical suggestion that the black deposit of last January might have come beyond the earth and might be meteoric or cometic or might even be the volcanic dust from Alaska or Japan, careful investigation showed that it was due to none of these causes. On the contrary, microscopic examination proved that the black deposit contains about 4 per cent. of the most delicate organic structures (such as diatoms and spores) and about 6 per cent. of the finest possible inorganic matter, such as makes up the ordinary fine silt and clay soils. All this fine material is easily caught up by the dry winds whenever they exceed twenty miles per hour and is carried to great distances before it has time and opportunity to settle on the ground. It is easily brought down in large quantities by snow or rain, but is only perceived by the ordinary observer when there is a clean surface of snow for it to fall upon. Large portions of country from Nebraska southward to the gulf are covered by this fine soil, whose depth sometimes is 100 feet. A gale of wind has been known to carry away six inches of the surface soil from a freshly cultivated field and spread it over the land 100 miles away. The blackness is due to the fineness of the silt and not to any magnetic iron"

PHYSICIANS FOR POOR.

The County Commissioners Make Their Appointments.

Chicken Thieves Given One Year in Prison—Big Bastardy Suit on Trial.

The county commissioners have made the following appointments of physicians, for the different townships and territories in this city, for the poor who require their attention during the year:

Dr. W. F. Schrader for all that part of the city east of Calhoun, north of Lewis and south of River streets, which includes Hope hospital.

Dr. Wm. Enslen, all that part of the city west of Calhoun and south and east of the St. Mary's river, including the county jail and the St. Joe hospital.

Dr. John Nichols, Washington township outside of the city and Wayne east of Calhoun and north of the rivers.

Dr. M. W. Tinkham, Wayne township outside of the city, including the county infirmary.

Dr. H. E. Adams, for the townships of Cedar Creek, Scipio, Milan, Monroe and Springfield.

Dr. J. L. Smith, Madison and Monroe townships.

Dr. S. N. Meyers, Jefferson township.

BIG BASTARDY SUIT.

The office of Justice Harry France was crowded this afternoon to listen to the evidence in the bastardy case of Emma Shellner against Frank Fogel, of Huntertown. There were fifteen witnesses for the prosecution and thirty-five for the defense. The case is being hotly contested. N. D. Doughman and E. V. Emrick are the attorneys for the state and J. M. Robinson, of this city, and A. G. Dunlon, of Huntertown, of the defense.

CRIMINALS GOT ONE YEAR.

The jury in the case of the state against Adam Rowe and Henry Koons, charged with stealing chickens, returned a verdict of guilty this morning at 9 o'clock and the defendants were given one year in the penitentiary.

PLENTY OF GAS

In the Territory Where We Get Our Supply.

M. L. Jones, in reply to an inquiry made by him, has received the following letter from J. C. Leach, the state supervisor of natural gas:

KOKOMO, Ind., Feb. 8, '96.

After an investigation of the Fort Wayne Gas supply, both in the territory and in the city, I am satisfied that the late trouble was local, that is owing to water and ice in the pipe lines and I hope it will not occur again. The supply of gas is abundant.

Yours truly,
J. C. LEACH.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Mrs. Ella Brinkkman Died Last Night From Blood Poisoning.

Mrs. Ella Brinkman died last night at the family residence, No. 173 Gay street, from blood poisoning. She was thirty-three years of age and leaves a husband and leaves a husband and seven small children.

The time of the funeral has not yet been set.

LAYMAN.

The three weeks old child of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Layman, of No. 331 Hoagland avenue, died last night from exhaustion. The funeral will be held at the residence tomorrow afternoon.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lange will be held at the residence, No. 334 West Jefferson street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Not Mrs. Cody.

STOCKTON, Cal., Feb. 19.—The demented woman who was detained by the police here on the suspicion that she was the missing Mrs. Cody, of Chicago, is not the lost woman. Chief Smith, of Tacoma, where Mrs. Cody was last seen, visited the woman and said she did not look like Mrs. Cody.

OFFICERS ELECTED

By Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection Last Night.

Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection last evening elected the following officers: Wm. Geake, T. P. G. M.; James Harper, deputy G. M.; Daniel L. Harding, Ven. Sr. Gr. W.; James M. Henry, Ven. Jr. Gr. W.; Henry C. Hanna, Gr. orator; Geo. W. Pixley, Gr. treasurer; Charles B. Fitch, Gr. secretary; Charles A. Wilding, Gr. M. of C; James C. Craig, Gr. C. of G; Cecilius R Higgins, Gr. hospitaler; Marion Teagarden, Gr. tyler; Geo. W. Pixley, Robert A. Liggett, Jacob W. Clark, trustees.

A Noted Divine Dead.

TORONTO, Ont, Feb. 19.—Rev. J. D. McDonnall, pastor of St. Andrews church this city, and probably the best known Presbyterian divine in Canada, died today.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Feb 19.—To-day's statement of the condition of the treasury shows, available cash balance, $222 225,303; gold reserve, $93 014,432.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Vitality Restored.

Falling Sexual Strength in old or young men can be quickly and permanently cured by me to a healthy, vigorous state. Sufferers from....

NERVOUS DEBILITY,

AND ALL WASTING DISEASES should write to me for advice. I have been a close student for many years of the subject of weakness in men, the fact is, I was a sufferer myself. Too bashful to seek the aid of older men or reputable physicians I investigated the subject deeply and discovered a simple but most remarkably successful remedy that completely cured me and fully enlarged me from a shrunken, stunted condition to natural strength and size. I want every young or old man to know about it. I take a personal interest in such cases and no one need hesitate to write me as all communications are held strictly confidential. I send the recipe of this remedy absolutely free of cost. Do not put it off but write me fully at once, you will always bless the day you did so. Address,

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TONIGHT.

MIDWAY PLAISANCE—Production of the World's Fair Street by the Fort Wayne Military Companies at Princess Rink.
MASONIC TEMPLE—Jessie Mae Hall and company in leading Comedy Plays at Popular Prices.
EMPIRE THEATRE—The Lyon's Comedy Company. The play of "Hazel Kirke."
KNIGHTS OF THE MACABEES—Special meeting of Mad Anthony Tent, at their hall.
PRAYER MEETINGS—At Different City Churches.
SOCIAL—Bee Hive No. 27, Ladies of the Macabees, at the home of Mrs. Chas. Flynn, No 11 Cass street.
LENTEN SERVICES—At all Catholic Churches and also at Trinity Episcopal Church.
BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY—Regular meeting at City Hall.
MACHINISTS' UNION — Regular meeting.
JR. O. U. A. M.—Wayne Council No. 35, Regular Meeting.
BOILERMAKERS' UNION—Regular meeting.
WHEELMAKERS' UNION, No. 5,323 —Regular meeting.
KNIGHTS OF ST. JOHN—Emmett Commandery, No. 17.
LODGES—Fort Wayne Lodge No. 19, A. O. U. W.; Maumee Lodge No. 50, A. O. U. W.; Red Men's Lodge; Concordia Lodge, No. 228, I. O. O. F.

As a heating fuel, natural gas is not a howling success during severe cold weather.

Ice cream soda has put in its appearance, notwithstanding the fearful blizzard of last night.

Edison prophesies that in ten years horseless carriages will be the rule, and horse propelled vehicles the exception.

The beginning of the Lenten season will be the end, for the time being, of many social pleasures.

A statistician computes that the queen is now sovereign over a continent, 100 peninsulas, 500 promontories, 1,000 lakes, 2,000 rivers and 10,000 islands.

The senate talks of an early adjournment. For all the good it is doing the country it might have adjourned six or eight weeks ago.

Things are getting around to where it looks as if it would be McKinley against the field, and the field is a troublesome thing to tackle.

Susan B. Anthony celebrated her seventy-ninth birthday on Saturday. Miss Anthony has arrived at a time in life when she does not attempt to conceal the number of her birthdays.

The South Bend Times made a canvass of the voters of South Bend, irrespective of politics, and found that McKinley and Matthews were largely the favorites in the presidential race.

Public sentiment has driven prize fighting out of every state of the union. Now let the same kind of public sentiment be manufactured in other countries and then the prize fighters will find their brutal occupations gone altogether.

Eleven "favorite sons" are now in line for the republican presidential nomination. This leads the Chicago Inter-Ocean into giving this advice: "Don't tramp on the soft corns of 'favorite sons.' You may want to gather in their crop when 'the reaping time' comes.

The argument before the supreme court in the Nicholson law case, which was to have taken place today, has been postponed on account of the illness of Judge Jordan, who is confined to his home at Martinsville. It is understood now that the argument will not be heard until week after next.

The Lenten season, which began today, continues forty days, or until Easter Sunday, April 5th. It is observed in commemoration of the forty days fast of our Savior, during which time penances are done, and all amusements are abstained from, that is by those who profess to be Christians and are members of certain denominations.

The report that the Cubans are willing to pay $100,000,000 for their independence may or may not be true. Certainly freedom would be worth that sum, and it would be wise for Spain to accept the offer if it is made. It will cost many times that amount to keep the Cubans in submission, for even if the present rebellion is crushed another will follow sooner or later.

Dr. David McClure, for many years a prominent democrat of Clark county, and who had served in the house and senate of the Indiana legislature several terms, died at his home at Jeffersonville on Sunday, the 16th inst., in the eighty-first year of his age. He was eminent as a physician, distinguished for his generosity and philanthropy among the poor, and was a citizen of high character.

All attempts to bulldoze Governor Matthews into calling a special session of the legislature to consider the apportionment will fail. The republicans would like to upset the 1885 legislative apportionment act, and at the same time would like to keep their nineteen hold over senators, elected two years ago. Fifty thousand dollars for a special session of the legislature to pass an apportionment act that can only be good for one election is paying too dearly for it.

S. P. Sheerin, secretary of the democratic national committee and a leader in Indiana politics, is warmly supporting Governor Claude Matthews for the presidential nomination at the Chicago convention. Since Indiana was admitted no democratic president has been elected without the Hoosier electoral vote. Mr. Sheerin says no democrat will deny that the Indiana vote will be needed this year, and he insists that Governor Matthews' nomination will insure it for the democrats.

The list of republican candidates for the nomination of governor of Indiana now stands at the unlucky number of thirteen and includes Frank B. Posey, Evansville; R. T. Gardner, Washington; James Riley, Vincennes; Will Cumback, Greensburg; James Johnson, Rockviller John L. Griffiths, Indianapolis; J. C. Adams Indianapolis; Major Charles Doxey, Anderson; Theodore Shockney, Union City; J. J. Todd, Bluffton; W. D. Owen, Logansport; Charles F. Griffin, Hammond, and C. E. Everett, of this city.

Later and authoritative advices must be awaited before the truth is thoroughly established that Dr. Nansen has reached the north pole. At present it looks as though he will have to bring the pole with him in order to convince a doubting world that he has actually found it. One reason why the report that Dr. Nansen succeeded in reaching the north pole is not generally believed is that such reports have been sent out before, but have invariably proven false. But the explorers are persistent, and some day some of them will succeed in reaching the pole, if Dr. Nansen has not.

The republicans of this congressional district will meet at Auburn on the 18th of March for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and also to select two delegates to their national convention. There isn't any contest for the nomination for congress, it being generally conceeded that the present incumbent, Mr. Leighty, will be renominated, but for delegate to the national convention there is a big fight on. Frank L. Roby, of Steuben county, will be chosen by acclamation for one of the delegates. The candidates for the honor of being the other delegate are all from Allen county and are as follows: R. T. McDonald, C. D. Law, B. W. Skelton and Frank Alderman. Since the retirement of Harrison as a candidate all of them are McKinley men. All of these gentlemen are working hard for themselves and the contest for votes from this time until the convention decides the matter will be an interesting one. The democrats will look on while the fight goes on and enjoy the fun.

Farmers living in the vicinity of Lake City, Mich., are seriously talking of boycotting that town, because the cows are permitted to run loose on the streets of the city, and when a farmer with a load of garden truck or feed stops to do any trading the cows gather around his wagon and eat his stock and more than his profits. The farmers say they are not in the free lunch business and the cows must be restrained or they will do their trading elsewhere. We would suggest to the farmers up there that they send for Councilman John Mohr, jr., of this city. He would go to Lake City with his celebrated cow ordinance and get rid of the bovines on the streets in a hurry.

The new recruititing system for the army, aided by the hard times for the last few years, has resulted in bringing the enlisted strength up to its maximum and a few days ago orders were issued by the adjutant general, who is in charge of the work, instructing the recruiting officers accordingly. Several of the minor stations where men have been enlisted have been closed temporarily and the officers on the detail have been given other duties. Recruits have been coming in rapidly for some months, and they are a good class of men, most of whom have been out of employment and have taken to the army in preference to any uncertainty regarding their board and lodging. Then, the new regulations governing recruiting places make it optional with regimental commanders as to filling their commands. This has resulted in more care being taken, for the regimental adjutants are careful to enlist only such men as will be a credit to their discernment of character. The new instructions to the recruiting officers are that they should enlist only the very highest class of applicants and be very sparing in enlisting them.

The prohibitionists of Indiana will meet at Indianapolis Wednesday and Thursday of next week for the purpose of making a state ticket, appointing delegates to the national convention of the party, which will be held in Pittsburg, May 27, and nominating an electoral ticket. The leaders say that it will be the largest and most spirited convention the party has ever held in Indiana. The party has on its hands a contest between the two factions known as the "broad gauge" and the "narrow gauge." It is the pending conflict between these two factions, it is said, that has created so much interest in the convention. The "broad gauge" faction is in favor of making a platform that will discuss all the public questions of general interest, including a declaration in favor of the unlimited coinage of silver, a plank denouncing monopolies, and plain declarations on all the subjects that other state conventions are likely to discuss. The "narrow gauge" faction will insist that the party stick to what it calls the "dominant issue," or prohibition. The information here is that the factions are about of equal strength.

This is Certainly a Chance Which Should Not Be Lost.

We are aware that our people who suffer from nervous, chronic or long standing complaints do not have the same opportunity to be cured as do the residents of the great cities where the most eminent physicians and specialists reside. In other words our people are debarred from seeking a cure by the great and skilled physicians owing to the cost of travel to the large city and the high fees charged by such physicians.

Here, therefore, is a chance for the sick of our community which should not be lost. Dr. Greene of 35 West 14th St., New York City, who has the largest practice in the world and who is without doubt the most successful specialist in curing all forms of nervous and chronic diseases, offers to give free consultation by mail to all sufferers whom their local physician has failed to cure. You have the privilege of consulting Dr. Greene by letter, describing your complaints, and he will, after carefully considering your condition, send you a letter fully explaining all your symptoms, telling you everything about your complaint so plainly that you will understand exactly what ails you. He will also give you his advice, based upon his vast experience and wonderful success in treating such cases, as to just what to do to get cured. All this will cost you nothing and you can thus have consultation with the best known physician and acknowledged most successful specialist in the world, without leaving home and at no expense whatever. The Doctor is the discoverer of that greatest of all known medicines, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and he has discovered many other most valuable remedies. Write to him now, for this is a chance to get cured which you may never have again.

If the Gladstone government had not been overthrown in the summer of 1885, the boundary question between British Guiana and Venezuela would have been settled that year by arbitration and there would never have been any more trouble. Lord Granville was then the British secretary for foreign affairs. Venezuela had three questions for settlement with Great Britain. One was some indemnity claims that had been made by British subjects against Venezuela; another was a controversy concerning import duties, while the third one was this very matter of disputed boundaries. Lord Granville, with the approval of Gladstone, had written a letter agreeing to refer these respective subjects to a joint commission from the two governments, when the sudden downfall of the Liberal government and the coming into power of the Conservatives, with Salisbury at their head, destroyed all that had been accomplished toward a settlement of affairs between Venezuela and Great Britain. Without offense it may be remarked that if political jealousy in 1885 had not prompted Salisbury to ignore what his Liberal predecessor had done he would not have got into hot water on Venezuelan questions in 1895.

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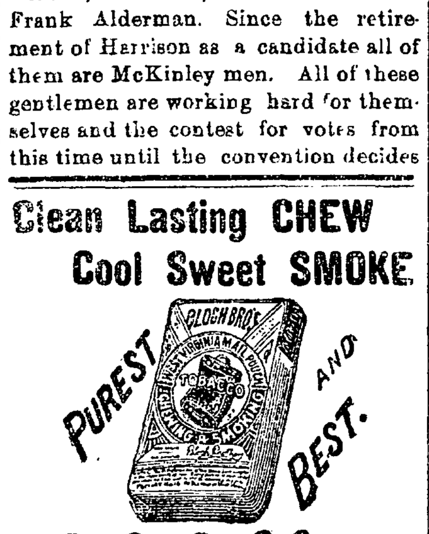

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AUTHORESS MARRIED.

Amelie Rives Catches a Real Live Nobleman.

Prince Troubetzkoy Falls Captive to Her Pretty Face and Daddy's Many Dollars.

Charlottsville, Va, Feb. 19.—Amelia Rives Chantler and Prince Pierre Troubetzkoy, a Russian nobleman, were married at 3 o'clock this afternoon, at "Cattle Hill," the home of Col. Alfred Rives, father of the authoress. Paul L. Menzel, D. D, of Richmond, a Lutheran clergyman, performed the ceremony. It was witnessed only by members of the family, Miss Julia Magruder, the authoress, and Allen Potts, of Richmond. The couple will remain here for some time and afterward they will take a trip abroad. They will live in London, the home of Prince Troubetzkoy. The bride was divorced last October from John Armstrong Chantler, of New York, to whom she was married in 1888, while at the height of her literary fame.

BOSTON HAS 100,000 CORNS.

Bill to Regulate the Chiropodist Industry Reveals Startling Figures.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 18—A bill is before the Massasschusetts legislature which provides for a state commission for the regulation of chiropodists, and the sentiment in favor of it is so strong that it bids fair to become a law. A number of prominent chiropodists advocate the measure on the ground that chiropody is being used as a cloak for carrying on an immoral business by a good many people in the large cities, particularly in Boston. A state commission, they believe, would protect the legitimate members of the profession and punish the pretenders. The business in Boston has become an importan industry for, it was stated at a hearing that seventy-five persons are engaged in it legitimately, and that 100 000 Bostonians have corns which require treatment in the course of a year.

SIR 'ENRY'S ACTOR.

He Liked Congressman Crowley, but Could Not Understand His Metaphor.

He was as corpulent as an exclamation point, and he had a sort of tongue tied walk, reminding one of a bad case of locomotor ataxia. His asbestus tinted frizzes were parted amidships, like my lady's well groomed Yorkshire terrier, and his larboard eyebrow executed a St. Vitus' dance in an effort to retain a strangle hold on the monocle screwed in his eye.

He was one of Sir Henry's actors, and together with Sir Henry [illegible] been seeing the sights of Washington. He said:

"One of the first membaws [illegible] encountawed, yer knaw, was a—aw—congressman from Texas, named—aw—named Miles Crowley. This Crowley, yer knaw, aw—is a chawming fellow, but I didn't quite—aw—gwasp some of his—aw—his metaphaw. When I—aw—awsked him what the average numbaw of—aw—people killed per day in Texas, numbaw negroes lynched, numbaw white men shot for cheating at cawds, do you know what he actually said? 'Why,' said Crowley, 'that depends upon the numbaw of Queen Vic's subjects there aw in Texas. Numbaw varies each day. Going and coming all the time. Now, you, faw instance, wouldn't last 15 minutes in Texas, unless you switched yaw doilect, got yaw hair cut, and blew that bum looking roof yaw wearing.'

"The ideaw! Switching doilect and blowing roof! I awsked him to explain, you knaw, and he told me that I would have to have laparotomy performed on my head before I saw a jaowke or a gag, dawnt yer know. Pawsitivley, yer knaw, Congressman Crowley is simply—aw—simply excruciating, yer knaw—aw. Crowley, I was told, yer knaw—aw—was quite a fightaw in Texas, and I awsked him about it.

"'Yes, quite wight, yer knaw,' said Crowley. 'Daown in our country our motto is, "The shooting iron is mightiaw than the sword, and the boxing glove is mightiaw than the pen—aw." It was till Govnaw Culbawson gave the Cawbett and Fitz the fwappe, yer knaw.'"

"Confound such metaphaw. What does fwappe mean? I nevaw will learn this Amewican slang, yer knaw, aw.

"'Look heaw, Iwing,' said Crowley—he flattawed me by comparing me to the govnaw, Sir 'Enry—'you didn't know I came from Bawston, good old Irish Bawston stock. I was bawn under the shadow of Bawston Hill monument, but I got the hot foot, yer knaw. Screwed my nut, yer knaw.'

"Such expwessions, aw, as 'screw my nut' and 'got the hot foot' were confounded cleavaw, I suppose, but blow me if I could compwehend them, yer knaw, aw.

"Then, yer knaw, I awsked Mr. Crowley abaout his early days at school in Bawston, and he astonished me by telling me as 'ow he went through Hawvawd, aw. 'Ow I happened to go through Hawvawd, yer knaw, was like this: A friend of the family, yer knaw, was janitaw of the college, and he took me through.'

"Some of Crowley's friends were standing about, yer knaw, and bloime me if they all didn't give me an awful lawf, yer knaw, aw. Oi couldn't see exactly whaw the lawf came in. We went into a pub neaw the theataw, and Mr. Crowley recommended some 'awf and 'awf. The 'awf and 'awf was tip top, yer knaw, and I awsked the bawtendaw if it was imported.

"'It's from Jersey—Newark, New Jersey,' said the bawtendaw.

"'Then it's imported if it's from New Jersey,' said Mr. Crowley, and they all lawfed again, though I couldn't see where the lawf came in, yer knaw—aw. But Congressman Crowley is a moine of infawmation, and it was from him, yer knaw, that I faound whoi it is that Cleveland issued his Veneznelaw papaw. Cleveland is kind of a spawt in his woi, and he loikes to see spawting people enjoy themselves. By favawing Venezuelaw he can get all he wants, yer knaw, from Cwespo. And what he wants, yer knaw, is for Cwespo to pawss a bill permitting pwize foighting. This will give the foighters, yer knaw, a chawnce to pull off a mill, and the politicians of the Stoites can no longer make political capital aout of the foighters. Every spawt in the Stoites will give Grover his suppawt if the Venezuelaw question is decoided in favaw of Americaw, said Mr. Crowley, yer knaw!

"When I told Congressman Harry Minaw, whom I knaw, yer knaw, in a theatrical woi, what Mr. Crowley had impawted to me, what do you suppaowse Minaw said?

"He lawfed hawtily, and said 'as 'ow Crowley had been a-joshing of me.

"Now, bloime me, what does joshing mean, yer knaw—aw?"—Washington Post.

Youthful Ambition.

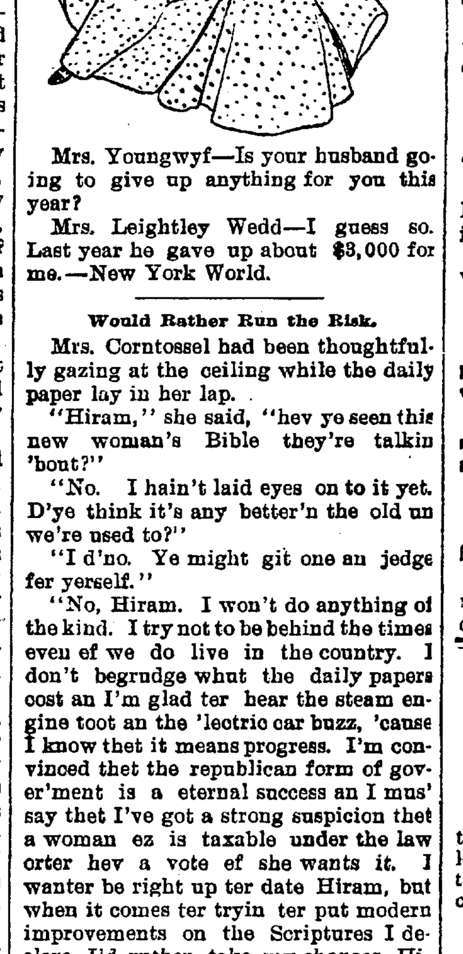
"You intend to be something better than a bootblack some day, my boy, don't you?" said the benignant old gentleman.

"You bet!" answered the gamin.

"That's the right way to talk. At the same time, my boy, never be ashamed of your calling. One of the greatest lawyers the west ever turned out began life is a bootblack."

"That's all right," rejoined the dirty faced boy, polishing away. "But I' goin to be a bank clerk. That's what Jim Corbett wuz."—Chicago Tribune.

His Sacrifice.



Mrs. Youngwyf—Is your husband going to give up anything for you this year?

Mrs. Leightley Wedd—I guess so. Last year he gave up about $3,000 for me.—New York World.

Would Rather Run the Risk.

Mrs. Corntossel had been thoughtfully gazing at the ceiling while the daily paper lay in her lap.

"Hiram," she said, "hev ye seen this new woman's Bible they're talkin 'bout?"

"No. I hain't laid eyes on to it yet. D'ye think it's any better'n the old un we're used to?"

"I d'no. Ye might git one an jedge fer yerself."

"No, Hiram. I won't do anything of the kind. I try not to be behind the times even ef we do live in the country. I don't begrudge whut the daily papers cost an I'm glad ter hear the steam engine toot an the 'leotric car buzz, 'cause I know thet it means progress. I'm convinced thet the republican form of gover'ment is a eternal success an I mus' say thet I've got a strong suspicion thet a woman ez is taxable under the law orter hev a vote ef she wants it. I wanter be right up ter date Hiram, but when it comes ter tryin ter put modern improvements on the Scriptures I declare I'd ruther take my chances, Hiram, on bein a back number."—Washington Star.

A Story of Lincoln.

President Lincoln reached Meade station, near Petersburg, soon after a serious battle, in which about 2,000 Confederates were made prisoners. General Meade was on the president's left and Colonel George D. Ruggles on his right. On their way to headquarters they rode to a point where they could see the large assemblage of prisoners. With the prisoners were many colored servants and laborers.

"Mr. Lincoln," said General Meade, "I guess Ruggles did not overestimate the number of men captured."

Mr. Lincoln checked his horse, deliberately surveyed the field full of Gordon's disarmed men and the contrabands and said, "Yes, general, the number is there in black and white."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Masculine Conceit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fogg were having almost a quarrel over their youthful son, who had not been conducting himself in a way to please his mother.

"I don't care," Mrs. Fogg exclaimed, "Henry is just like you. Even a stranger could tell in a minute that he was your son."

"Sh, Hannah," Mr. Fogg broke in. "Don't say such things in his presence. You'll make the little chap as vain as a peacock."—Boston Transcript.

Not Up on American Politics.

Rutherford B. Hayes was an occasional visitor to New York after he had moved out of the White House, but unlike ex-President Harrison he was not averse to being interviewed on subjects that were not political. One of the New York papers on the occasion of his last visit to this city sent a young Englishman, who had recently joined the staff, up to the Fifth Avenue hotel with instructions to interview Mr. Hayes on the subject of chickens. Mr. Hayes received his visitor and chatted with him for half an hour on various subjects, and among other things he assured his interviewer, laughingly, that he had gone into chicken raising as a business. When the Englishman arose to go, he said:

"By the way, Mr. Hayes, I want my report to be acurate, and would you mind telling of what you were once president?"

"Of the United States, sir!" replied Mr. Hayes, and when the Englishman arrived at his office he told the city editor that Mr. Hayes was a great wag.—New York Sun.

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Its Strange Story.

"That's a queer looking watch," observed the man whose collar button showed above his necktie.

"It's a queer watch," replied the man in the mackintosh, replacing it in his pocket. "It has a history."

"Family heirloom perhaps," suggested the man who had his feet on the table. "Last member of the family that had it was your uncle, who had previously let you have a dollar and a half"—

"It never was out of my possession," resumed the man in the mackintosh, with a glance of disdain at the last speaker, "except once, and there wasn't any money borrowed on it that time."

"Footpad took it away from you, looked at it, and handed it back," ventured the man with the slouch hat.

"Traded it to somebody for a yellow dog and the other fellow returned it and told you to keep the dog," hazarded the man with the soiled cuffs.

"This watch," said the man in the mackintosh, "has been my constant companion for many years. One night in 1893 I went to sit up with a sick friend. I was instructed to give him his medicine at intervals of two hours. Once during the night I lay down on a lounge and dozed. I wasn't asleep over two minutes, and yet when I waked up my watch was gone. I looked at the sick man. To all appearance he hadn't moved. There was nothing to indicate that anybody had entered the room, and I was sure nobody could have come in without waking me, anyhow. It was a mystery, but there was nothing I could do or say. I had fallen asleep at my post and had no right to kick. Well, that man got well. Afterward he concluded to move away from town. He sold his household goods at auction. To help him out I bought part of them myself. Among the traps was that lounge. One day I got tired of seeing it about the house. I broke it up for kindling. When I knocked the back of it off this watch fell out. It had slipped out of my pocket the night I lay down on it and took that little nap. That watch, gentlemen, was still going."

"How long had it been lost?" asked the man with the bright green necktie.

"About six months. I told you, gentlemen, the watch had a history. That's the history."

Then somebody exclaimed in a tone of deep disgust that he hated a liar, and the audience slowly filed out.—Chicago Tribune.

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Second Ditto—What, that fellow? He doesn't look a bit like a champion.

First Ditto—It is just as I tell you, though. He is a pawnbroker, you see.—Centralblatt fur Radsport.

A Natural Inquiry.

"Chimmy," said a curbstone cherub, "what's de equator?"

"Don't you know? I learnt it in wan lesson at night school. De equator is an imaginary line around de eart'."

"Who put it dere? Great Britain?"—Washington Star.

An Object For Charity.

"Well, of all the impudence—asking me to help you because you have three wives to support!"

"They don't belong to me, mister, nothin of the sort. They belong to me son-in-laws."—Indianapolis Journal.

Not In His Line.

Miss Harmony—Do you play Offenbach?

Chris Anthemum (promptly)—No, not often. I have played half back twice, out I generally rush.—New York World.

A BABY

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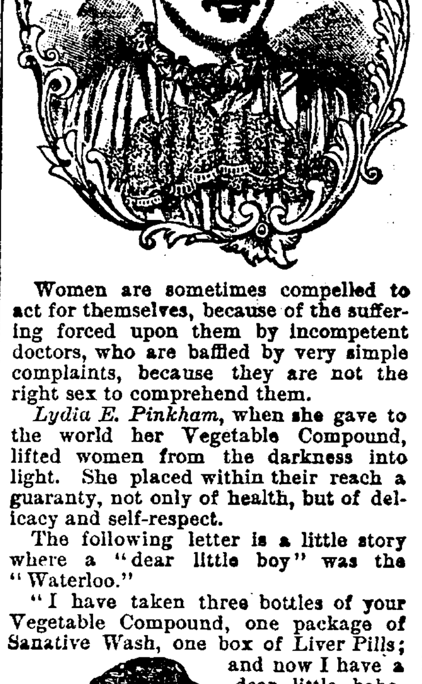
[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

The theories of physicians in regard to female complaints suffer a "Waterloo" very frequently, when sensible and thinking women take matters into their own hands.



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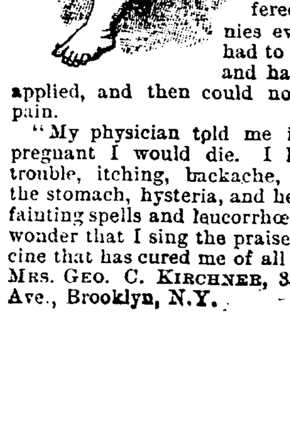

"I have spent $200.00 for doctors' bills without a cure. For my cure I only spent $5.00.

"I was once a victim of female troubles in their worst form. I have suffered untold agonies every month; had to stay in bed, and have poultices applied, and then could not stand the pain.

"My physician told me if I became pregnant I would die. I had bladder trouble, itching, backache, catarrh of the stomach, hysteria, and heart trouble, fainting spells and leucorrhœa. Can you wonder that I sing the praises of a medicine that has cured me of all these ills?"
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4 qt. Milk pans	25
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2 qt. Milk pans	18
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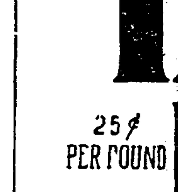

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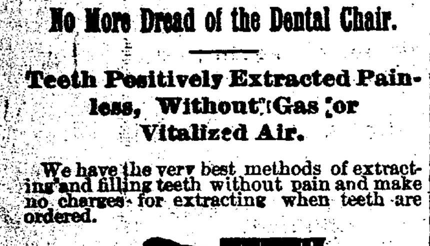

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THREE OF A KIND.

RAILWAYS AND SHOPS.

Wonderful Earnings of a Prussian Railroad.

The Panhandle Sued by a Former Brakeman—Personal and Local Gossip Heard at the Shops.

The Associated Press sends out the following dispatch from Washington today: "A strong argument for government ownership of railways is contained in a report to the state department by United States Commercial Agent Moore at Weimar upon the Prussian railroad system. He shows that last year the gross receipts from these railways was $244 467,175, or more than half of the entire revenues of the state. The net earnings deducting $53,240,600 interest on working capital and sinking fund, were $51,051,000 which will be turned into the treasury for the use of the state. This sum is larger than the income derived from taxes of all kinds.

BRIEF MENTION.

A. M. Smith is a new brakeman on the Nickel Plate.

Wallace Kendall, of the electric works, who has been very ill for a week, is reported better today.

H. B. Crawford, of the winding room at the electric works, is off duty on account of private business.

The extention of time for the equipment of freight cars with safety appliances expired on Saturday.

Willard Knight has returned from Ohio, where he had been on business for the Electric corporation.

William Zimmerman went to Lafayette this morning to caulk the flues of Wabash engine 61, which had sprung a leak.

Engine 132, recently repaired in the Pittsburg shops, was sent to the Toledo division of the Pennsylvania system this morning.

The Illinois Car Service association now includes twenty-six roads and looks after demurrage charges at fifty-five cities and towns in the state.

Fred Lindeman, of the Pittsburg round house, is harboring a fine St. Barnard dog which has evidently strayed from its owner's premises.

Last week's shipments out of Chicago aggregated 71,070 tons, compared with 80.089 tons for the previous week and 49 738 tons for the corresponding week last year.

L. S. Coffin, of Iowa, president of the home for aged and disabled railroad men, on Sunday addressed several hundred men at a meeting at Columbus, Ohio.

East bound business out of St. Louis is said to be the lightest of any time in years, only eighty to a hundred loaded cars being forwarded from St. Louis proper per day.

J. L. Harris, for years general live stock agent of the Wabash, has been appointed general live stock agent in Texas of the Chicago Union Stock Yards and Transit company.

The Electric corporation is making some addition to a lighting plant in the city of Alexandria, La. This morning the company sent a 1,000 light Wood alternating machine to that city.

Charles Buuck, who was married last evening, resumed his work in the Pittsburg paint shop this morning. He did not forget to bring cigars and distribute them among the shopmen.

Thomas Williams and Casper Lebmkuler are sick and Charles Rice, William Byerly, A. Rost, Frank Girard, Tony Gerard, M. Feuchter, C. Schneider, John P. Schmidt, E McLaughlin, L. P. Kelley and Michael Deuters are out on account of lack of work. All are employes of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

Philip C. Wortman, of Islin, N. J., is the guest of his uncle, P. G. Tigar, of 69 Cass street. Mr. Wortman is the Pennsylvania company's station agent at Islin, and his health being poor, the company gave him a three months' vacation to recuperate. He will spend a good portion of the time in this state with relatives.

The absentee list at the Pittsburg lumber yards is a sort of combination of a barometer and thermometer. When it is unusually large the clerks know that the weather is inclement—either too cold or too wet. The list was larger than usual this morning, due to zero weather. Besides the list of sick men employed therein, the names of Messrs. Bowers, Bender, Pageler, Gephardt and Buckley appear on the list.

Alfred E. Gibson has filed a suit in the Cass circuit court, demanding $10,000 from the Panhandle road for injuries sustained in a collision of trains on that road last January. Gibson was a member of a work train crew and the train collided with a freight train at Marion, throwing him down an embankment a distance of fifty feet. He received injuries about the back, spine and other parts of the body, which have incapacitated him from work. He claims the accident was due to the negligence of the company through its employes.

Indianapolis Journal: "Local passenger circles are a good deal disturbed that the Lake Erie and Western, in connection with the Nickel Plate, on Sunday took two theatrical troups from this city for the east. The arbitrary action of the passenger officials at their recent meeting in Chicago will, without doubt, be of benefit to lines not in the association; however, General Passenger Agent Daly claims to have carried these troupes at full rates."

Pittsburg Engineer Timothy McCarthy and Engineer Denny McCarthy, of the Nickel Plate, went to Logansport this morning to attend the funeral of a relative.

Engine 66, from the Pennsylvania's Chicago suburban service, came down here for repairs yesterday. Engine 168 was turned out of the shop today, after general repairs.

Pittsburg Fireman George Ek received information this morning, which took him up to Chicago. His brother, Ed, is lying at the point of death with lung trouble, in that city.

SEEKING LOW RAILWAY RATES.

As no railroad rate has been given for the bi-ennial encampment of the Knights of Pythias, the supreme chancellor issued a call today for a meeting of the supreme officers at Cincinnati on the 22d to consider the situation and either call off the encampment or fix upon a place to which satisfactory rates can be obtained.

PIG IRON MARKET DULL.

The Industrial World of February 20 will say: "The week has been a quiet one in pig iron, for while there continues a good inquiry from car builders, implement makers and others for round lots, the actual sales were comparatively light, the largest contract placed being 1,000 tons at the basis of $12 for No. 2 coke foundry. Excepting structural material, the finished iron and steel market was quiet. Upwards of 4,000 tons of building, skeleton steel construction work and bridge plates were contracted, mostly secured by eastern mills. Some 800 tons of old car wheels were sold at $13.75. General prospects are encouraging."

BALTIMORE AND OHIO CHANGES.

THE SENTINEL is in receipt of the following dispatch from Baltimore: "The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad company was held today. A letter was received from William F. Bruns, announcing that owing to the failing condition of his health he resigned as a director. Mr. Wm. F. Frick, in moving the acceptance of the resignation of Mr. Wm. F. Burns as a director, paid a high tribute to the long, earnest and valuable services to the company of the gentleman. Mr. Burns repeatedly acted as president pro tem of the company. Mr. George C. Jenkins was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. No action was taken relative to the formation of the Baltimore and Ohio Northwestern system out of the lines running from Pittsburg to Chicago controlled by the Baltimore and Ohio. Action on the proposed collateral trust loan was also deferred. The loan has already been authorized and the negotiations are being conducted by Major Alexander Shaw, chairman of the finance committee. Gen. Orland Smith tendered his resignation as first vice president and Mr. Oscar G. Murray, upon the nomination of President Cowen, was unanimously confirmed as first vice president of the company. General Smith's time being almost exclusively occupied as a member of the board of managers of the joint traffic association at New York, remains as the representative of the Baltimore and Ohio company on that board, and holds also the presidency of several of its important subsidiary lines."

The Same Old Canard.

"Dear me," said Maude, "there has been a dreadful lot of talk in the financial articles about a gold ring. What do you suppose they are driving at?"

"Oh, I don't know," replied Mamie, in a weary tone. "I guess it's just some more of this silly joking about engagements."—Washington Star.

More Than Enough.

She—Ethel Passee had such a queer experience yesterday afternoon, about dark, going home from the Browning class. A man rushed out of an alley behind her, kissed her—just once—and fled!

He—I should think he would!—New York Tribune.

The Seasons Change.

"You told me that this was a good warm flat!" exclaimed the tenant angrily.

"I did," admitted the agent, "but you will recall that it was summer when I told you that. It was true then."—Chicago Post.

More Than Necessary.

"Has she any proof of his love?"

"He lets her brother ride his bicycle."—New York Herald.

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HIS WAYS WERE SIMPLE.

He Was Glad to Meet a Good Man, but It Didn't Work.

One day as I lounged into Central park at the Seventh avenue entrance an old man sitting on a bench beckoned me to approach. I saw at once that he was a stranger in Gotham, and as I looked upon him I could scent the new mown hay of the country meadow and hear the dinner horn blowing at the kitchen door at high noon.

"My dear young friend," he began as I sat down beside him, "I trust that you are walking in the straight and narrow path of virtue and integrity while surrounded by the temptations of a great city?"

I replied that his trust was well founded, and he continued:

"I have been in New York for a week, and it has made my heart ache to behold the sin and wickedness on every hand. I hope you are proof against the seductive influences of wine and cards and the theater?"

I humbly answered him that I never drank anything stronger than root beer, and not having a deadhead pass I never showed up at the theater. As for cards, I simply knew the ten of diamonds from the ace of spades.

"That is good!" he said as he laid his hand on my shoulder. "May I further trust that you do not attend horse races, dog fights and boxing matches?"

I solemnly assured him that he could trust, and he took my hand in his and feelingly exclaimed:

"I thank heaven that I have found one good and pure hearted man in this terribly wicked city! Had I not met you I should have gone home believing there was no exception. I am an old man, as you see, and I am simple in my ways. The other day I encountered a fellow being in distress and bought this gold watch of him to help him out. It is a bauble I do not wish to carry about or take home. They tell me it is worth more than what I gave, but I would let it go at the same price."

He took from his upper vest pocket a gold watch in a chamois skin cover and held it out to me.

"It's funny how things come about," isn't it?" I asked as I waved the watch away.

"How?"

"Why, I'm in the same line myself and was going to play you for a sucker on a glass diamond pin. Shake! How's biz with you? If you are new to the town, I can put you on to those watches at $50 a dozen. I worked two off last week at $75 each, but I can do better with the diamond racket. Let's find a quiet place and have a long talk!"

"Sir," said the man as he rose up and confronted me and restored the fake ticker to its pocket. "Sir, you are something of a liar and a good deal of a scoundrel, and I don't want anything to do with you! Good day, sir!"

And he turned and walked out of the park and up Fifty-ninth street, and I looked after him in such sorrow that the policeman on duty at the entrance took it for a case of colic and advised me to put in plenty of Jamaica ginger and not follow it with too much water. —Detroit Free Press.

Mr. Jefferson's Limitations.

The amusing ignorance of some people whose lives are spent away from cities in regard to the duties of an actor can be illustrated by one little incident told by Joseph Jefferson, which occurred while he was living on his plantation in Louisiana.

"I had been out duck shooting," said Mr. Jefferson, "and was being paddled slowly along the bayou in a canoe by my man Friday, a colored boy about 18 years old. 'Mr. Jos will you be mad if I ax you somefin?' said John, the colored lad referred to.

"'No, John. What is it?' said I.

"'What does you do in a show?'

"I told him it would be rather difficult for me to explain what my particular line of business was.

"'Well,' said John, 'does you swallow knives?'

"I told him I had no talent in that way.

"'Well, your son told me that you swallowed knives and forks and fire, and de Lord knows what all, and I believe he was just foolin me.'

"I agreed with him, saying he was quite capable of it.

"'Well, dere's one thing certain,' said John. 'You don't act in the circus.'

"I asked him how he could be sure of that. John burst into an immoderate fit of laughter, almost tipping the canoe over in his violent mirth.

"'Oh, no, oh, no, sah! You can't fool me on dat. I've seen you get on your horse. You ain't no circus rider.'"—Grand Rapids Herald.

"Hamlet" Up to Date.

The following synopsis of "Hamlet" is used in the playbills by a company now touring the country. It causes "Hamlet" to read like an old time melodrama. The final line is not based on the play:

SYNOPSIS.

Act 1.—Elsinore. The palace. The platform before the castle. The appearance of the ghost of Hamlet's father, by whom is related his "strange and unnatural murder."

Act 2.—The feigning of madness. Hamlet arranges with the players to play before the usurping king (his uncle) a scene resembling the murder of his father. "The play's the thing wherein I'll catch the conscience of the king."

Act 3.—The plotting of the king and Polonius to test Hamlet's sanity. Hamlet's grief at Ophelia's complicity therein. The play scene. The king's guilt made clear. "I take the ghost's word for a thousand pounds." Hamlet and his mother. The slaying of Polonius. "I must be cruel only to be kind. Thus bad begins and worse remains behind."

Act 4.—Ophelia driven insane over Hamlet's demeanor and the slaying of her father. "I have a speech of fire which fain would blaze, but this folly drowns it."

Act 5.—The gravediggers. The burial of Ophelia. Hamlet and Laertes slay each other. The poisoning of the queen. Hamlet avenges his father's and mother's death. "Here, thou murd'rous, damned Dane, follow my mother." The death of Hamlet. "The potent poison quite o'ercrows my spirit. The rest is silence." Good night, sweet prince, and flights of angels sing thee to thy rest.

Gentlemen will not spit tobacco juice on the floor, and hogs will not be permitted to.

—Chicago Record.

FABLES DOWN TO DATE.

The Fox and the Farmer.

One day the fox approached the farmer, who was working in his field, and after saluting him with a great show of heartiness and friendship observed:

"I have called to have a talk with you on certain matters. For many moons I have been pained at your want of confidence in me. Why is it that you distrust me?"

"You have broken into my coop and eaten my chickens," replied the farmer.

"Yes, but that was long ago, before I realized the error of my ways. Know ye, O farmer, that my feelings have undergone a change and that I now fully realize how wicked it was in me to eat your chickens."

"So you don't keer fur chickens any more?"

"Not a rap, and I wish you to take me back into your confidence and trust me. I will even mount guard over your coop and keep the weasel and the polecat away."

"That's powerful good of you," said the farmer as he leaned on his spade and wiped the sweat from his brow. "Sure you have reformed, eh?"

"Quite sure."

"And you want me to trust you?"

"I do. I want to show you that I am worthy of your full confidence."

"Waal, I'm allus willin to extend a hand to a feller who is tryin to climb up, and you kin cum along with me."

"Thanks, dreadfully!" replied the fox as he chuckled behind the farmer's back and followed him to the coop.

Upon their arrival there, however, the fox found the coop empty of fowls, and in an indignant voice he demanded:

"How now, sirrah! I was to stand guard over your fowls, but I find none here!"

"Oh, as to that," replied Uncle Reuben, "I sold the whole outfit to a peddler yesterday, but you can remain by the empty coop and inform the weasel and the polecat that"—

"You go to grass, you old mossback!" interrupted the fox as he made a bolt for the woods.

Moral.—"Well, I kinder thought so!" said the farmer as he looked after the fleeing Reynard. "I hev allus noticed that when a bad man sets out to reform he is figgerin on gittin a softer snap than what he had before!"—Detroit Free Press.

The Travelers and the Sea Serpent.

Some travelers, journeying along the seashore after the season had closed, climbed to the summit of a high cliff when the town constable wasn't looking and thence looked over the sea. "Aha!" said one of the travelers. "What do mine eyes behold?" One of the other travelers laughed and remarked, "They are liable to behold any old thing if you hit much of this left over from last summer benzine that we purchased at the drug store yonder this morning." Then they all looked out to sea and beheld a marine monster wriggling through the misty deep. "Give me your glass," said one, "that I may study this sea serpent's peculiarities." The other replied: "I have no glass. You'll have to drink from the bottle." Then they looked through their bottles, and, behold! the monster was 700 feet long, with immense horns and great, rude, staring eyes. The next day the newspapers printed its picture.

Moral.—Avoid being a sea serpent if you wish to keep your picture out of the Sunday publications.—Truth.

SOCRATES.

He Arrives Home From a Seven Days' Journey In Syracuse.

Socrates slid somewhat hesitatingly into the room and began taking off his sandals.

"Oh!" remarked Xantippe, and she held on to the word for quite a spell, till it appeared to consist of several syllables, each with a falling inflection.

"Oh!" she repeated, and this time she emphasized all the syllables at once, and gritted her teeth.

For Socrates, so the local paper said, had been up to Syracuse for a season to dispose of county rights in some of his new styles of philosophy, but it was generally known among the boys that he'd been taking in the football games, and a high old time he'd had of it.

"M'love," he said in a mollifying tone, while he worked off a sandal and laid it carefully on the plush covered album, "it—it sall ri'!"

"I know it's all rye," retorted Xantippe with grim humor, "and a trifle too much of it, with you off cutting up and me at home here tending four stoves all alone. Go lug me up a hod of coal."

Socrates had summoned his philosophy to endure whatever might come forth by way of temper, but at the mention of coal his haughty spirit rebelled. He drew himself up proudly and the effort sobered him.

In story books it seems an easy thing for a man to get sober.

"Xantippe," he said, speaking in the purest of Greek grammar, "is thy husband a dog that he should do this thing? Nay, but by my striped toga I will not. I am not strong enough."

"Not strong enough?" echoed Xantippe in a rising note that ended in a shriek. "Not strong enough?"

"No," rejoined the old man loudly. "Have I not but just returned from a seven days' sojourn in Syracuse?"

"Ye-es—oh, ye-es," assented Xantippe, tapping her heels and giving forth a hysterical scream to notify the neighbors that something worth while was impending.

Socrates wiped off his chin with a gesture of bold defiance.

"Well, then," he concluded in a tone of dignified triumph, "that settles it, for it is a well known proposition, long since laid down and embellished by the ancient Jews, that seven days make one weak. Lug up the coal yourself."

And with that, children, Socrates got into bed without even the formality of removing his other sandal.—New York Recorder.

Wanted a Change.

The two small boys who wanted to fight Indians had gone some distance from home. The romance had dwindled, and a discouragement which neither liked to confess had taken possession.

"Look here," said one of them at last. "I've been playin I'm Sierra Sam for two days now, haven't I?"

"Yes," was the reply.

"Well, I'm kind o' tired o' that game. I think I'll play I'm the prodigal son."—Washington Star.

Her Little Hand.

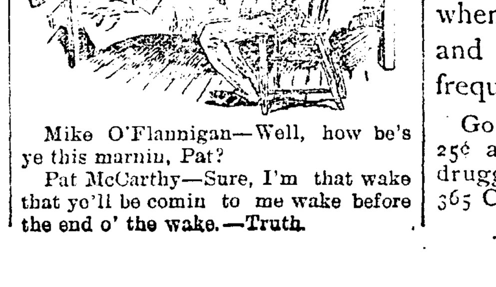
"Polly, is it true that young Spooney held your hand two hours last evening?"

"Yes, papa."

"Have you no idea of propriety?"

"It was my hand at whist. He played for me."—Detroit Free Press.

Very, Very "Wake."



Mike O'Flannigan—Well, how be's ye this marnin, Pat?

Pat McCarthy—Sure, I'm that wake that yo'll be comin to me wake before the end o' the wake.—Truth.

THE DRUMMER GOT AWAY.

By So Doing He Escaped Well Merited Punishment.

There were eight of us smoking our after supper cigars on the hotel veranda when a small man with a great deal of bustle and energy in his movements came out of the hotel office and called out in a general way:

"Gentlemen, is there a general out there?"

"I am a general, sir," replied one of the group as he half rose and bowed.

"Yes—ah!—glad to see you, general," continued the little man as he advanced and shook hands. "Now, then, have we any colonels present?"

"I am a colonel," replied three men in chorus as they followed the general's example.

"Ha! Glad to see you, colonels, very glad," said the little man as he extended a hand to each in succession. "Let's see. Have we a judge among us here this evening?"

"We have," replied two of the four others.

"So glad to see you, judges, so glad. Shake hands. Beautiful evening this. I presume you other two gentlemen breathe respective titles of major and professor?"

"We do," said the pair of us.

"Ah, glad to know it, awfully glad. Major and professor, shake hands, shake hands. Might have a little more rain, but we can't find much fault with this weather."

"And who are you, if you please?" asked the general.

"I? Oh, I'm only an ex-governor, an ex-cabinet officer, an ex-congressman and at present raising $6,000,000 to put another railroad bridge across the Missouri river. Keep your seats, gentlemen. I wouldn't think of intruding my company on such a distinguished assembly."

Next day when we found out that he was only a drummer for a Cincinnati shoe factory he had departed, and we couldn't give him the licking he deserved.—Detroit Free Press.

They Were Too Late.

The belated wayfarer was standing in the shadow of a building with both hands pointing heavenward while he gazed into the muzzle of a revolver. One footpad was holding the revolver where it would do the most good in case of an emergency and the other was going through the victim's pockets. The silence was so oppressive that the belated wayfarer finally felt obliged to speak.

"Think you are smart, don't you?" he said.

"We know our business," returned one of the footpads gruffly.

"Of course you do," said the belated wayfarer with something like a sneer. "You know that this is my pay day, I suppose?"

"Sure," replied the footpad. "That's why we laid for you."

"He ain't got but 65 cents, Bill," interrupted the one who had been searching the victim's pockets.

"Wot!" cried the other.

"That's right," said the belated wayfarer cheerfully.

"But you was paid today," insisted the man with the revolver.

"Right again," admitted the belated wayfarer in the same cheerful tone. "But somebody got in ahead of you, and you thought you were so all fired smart that I'll be hanged if I'm not glad of it."

"Somebody got your roll?"

"Yep."

"Who?"

"My wife came to the office after it this afternoon. Oh, you've got to get up mighty early to beat her."—Chicago Post.

Not a Fair Division.

"Mean man," said the man in the big ulster, with a nod in the direction of an old fellow with a fur cap.

"I don't know him," replied the man with plush ear ovens.

"Lives next to me," explained the man in the big ulster. "He's a confidence man."

"Really!"

"Sure thing. Why, since I have been given a little insight into his character I always lock up the silver when I see him come home from work."

"Is he really as bad as that?"

"Worse."

"How did you find him out?"

"Well, he made a proposition that we should make a little pool on the walk cleaning problem. He was to keep the walks in front of both houses cleaned half the time and I was to keep them cleaned the other half."

"That certainly seems fair."

"That's what I thought; so we closed the deal. But when it came to arranging the periods during which each should do the work, he claimed to be entitled to first choice and I gave it to him."

"Well?"

"Well, he announced that he would undertake to keep them clean during the summer half of each year."—Chicago Post.

A Question of Legs.

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"Only three legs!" repeated the pertubred landlady in an injured tone. "Well, great goodness, that's two more'n you've got!"—London Tit-Bits.

The Contradiction.

Englishman—What will you take?

Frenchman—I will take a drop of ze contradiction.

Englishman—Contradiction! What on earth do you mean?

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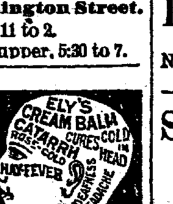

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Cloverdale " "	9 06 am	5 19 pm	12 35 pm
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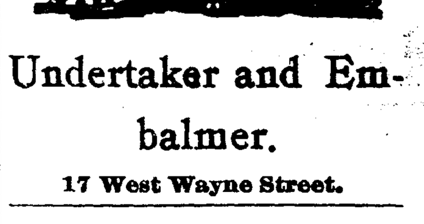

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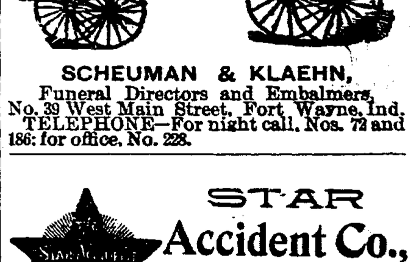

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The place in the store where the light comes in from every quarter there's a blockade.

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Are piled so high we scarce know where to stick another piece.

MOHAIRS. MOHAIRS. MOHAIRS.

Mohairs to the right and Mohairs to the left—and they're all right. Mohairs grow in popular favor, if growing is possible; and our faith in this silky crisp stuff is shown by the piles gathered here.

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MOHAIR SICILIANS, 54 inches wide, 90c, $1, $1.25, $1.50.
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25c Dimities now—were 37½ to 50c a year ago, and the styles not near so handsome.

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Percales.

You want them for the boy—and the man and some for dresses. A nice line of 10c ones, 32 inches wide, price 8½c.

Men's Good Shirts. Good in every sense of the word. The cheap ones good, the best ones made as good as a shirt can be made. All made of good Muslins. All have Linen Bosoms. All have the late improvements to strengthen the parts needed.

The Niagara unlaundried,	$1 00
The Niagara unlaundried,	75c
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The Paragon unlaundried,	35c
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Make the same difference in material.

Outing Flannels.

There has more outing flannels gone from our counters in the past month than has gone from half a dozen stores in three to six months. We had the bargains.

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Outings at 5c, 6c and 7c.

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On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

You can depend upon Edmunds & Law. 1tf

Huntington Democrat; "Henry Woenker has returned home to Fort Wayne after spending Sunday here, the guest of a very dear friend and a brother."

Bluffton News: "Miss Vic Stone, of Fort Wayne, and Miss Cora Fowler, of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, are guests of N. K Todd and wife."

OUR ANNUAL MID-WINTER PANT SALE

That is so anxiously looked forward to by the majority of the people in Fort Wayne and vacinity is now in full blast, and we are confident that this is the greatest

Special Pantaloon Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We have never been able to quote such low prices nor give you such a large and desirable selection of styles and fabrics.

$1.48

For Men's wool Pants in Cassimeres and Cheviots, that are worth from $2 00 to $2 50.

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For Men's all wool Pants in Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds, that sell the world over at $3.00 and $3.50; we have all sizes of each pattern.

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For Men's all wool Pants in fancy worsteds, black cheviots and cassimeres in elegant patterns and finely made. These would be cheap at $3.50 and $4.00.

$2.98

For Men's fine Pants in all fabrics and styles, that are worth $4.00 and $4.50 of anyones money.

$3.48

For Men's finest worsted and cassimere Pants, worth $4 50, $5 and $6. See window display.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 19 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 173.
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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—For Indiana: Fair tonight and Thursday; warmer in northern portions tonight; warmer Thursday; northwest winds.

NEWS NOTES.

S. F. Bowser, of the Oil Tank works has gone to St. Louis.

The D. T.'s will meet with Miss McCracken Friday afternoon.

Mrs. John Landenberger entertained with a pedro party last evening.

W. L. Carnahan, of 119 East Wayne street, has returned from a trip to New York.

Miss Mattie Bitner, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edward Major.

The Misses Rurode were charming hostesses for a progressive pedro last evening.

The Nineteenth Century club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Bessie Lincoln.

On account of sickness Mrs. Carey, of No. 46 Erie street, will not entertain the F. F club on Thursday.

Th Bethany Christian Endeavorers will give an entertainment and social at the parlors of the new church.

D. C. Fisher left this morning for St. Louis and Memphis on a trip which will combine business and pleasure.

The Fort Wayne Curling club is playing a game at Centlivre's this afternoon. This is the annual point game.

Mrs. O. L. Lynn and son, of Homer, Mich., are visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. D. Curry, of South Harrison street.

Miss Eva R. Nelson gave a small card company yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Roger Butterfield, of Grand Rapids.

The Luther league will give a social and musical entertainment at Trinity English Lutheran church next Friday evening.

Columbia City Post: "George D. Crane, of Fort Wayne, is in the city transacting business relating to a large tract of land in this county."

The Current Topic club met last night in the rooms at the Fort Wayne Business college. The committees reporting were political and congressional news, foreign and local affairs.

The presidential reception to be given by the Epworth league of Berry street M. E church Friday evening will be an interesting and novel event.

Hive No. 27, Ladies of the Maccabees, will give a social at the home of Mrs. Charles Flynn, No. 11 Cass street, this evening. Supper 10 cents. A literary program will be carried out.

Dr. S. J. Derbyshire, of Warren, is visiting his wife, Mrs. Luella Derbyshire, at 50 West Superior street. The doctor is attending the sessions of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical association.

Miss Josephine Carter, of Maple avenue entertained the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church last evening. The amusements were of a literary nature and very entertaining as well as instructive.

Mrs. Frank Gruber, whose serious accident was mentioned in THE SENTINEL was suffering last evening from a high fever. Today, however, she was better, a fact her many friends will be pleased to learn.

At the meeting of the Afternoon Pedro club with Mrs Learmonth yesterday, Mrs. G A Rabus won the first prize, Miss MacDougall the second, Mrs. Edward White the consolation and Mrs. Catherine Hecker the booby.

On account of conflicting meetings previously arranged for the same date, the literary entertainment which was announced for next Friday evening at the Wayne street M. E church by the Epworth league has been postponed for one week from that time.

Charlie Kane will visit the dog show at Chicago next month Charlie owns a wire haired fox terrier, "George E." which he will enter for a premium at the show. This dog is one of the finest bred dogs in America, his pedigree leading to the most noted dog families of Europe. He was brought from Europe by Buffalo Bill. Charlie is confident of winning first premium for George E

St Patrick's church was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, when Miss Jennie Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Scott of East Butler street, was married to Mr. David O Rourke The bride was attended by Miss Katherine McDonald, of Montreal, Canada, and Mr Will Donald, of Jamestown, N. Y., was best man. Mr. and Mrs O Rourke left for a wedding trip to Chicago and other western cities.

Pine Apples and Malaga Grapes

Fresh shipment nice, large, ripe Havana Pine Apples, 25c each.
Spanish Malaga Grapes, 20c lb.
Sweet Valencia Oranges, dozen, 20c.
California Navel Oranges, dozen, 35c.
Best Messina Lemons, dozen, 20c.
Hot House Lettuce, lb 18c.

FRUIT HOUSE.

The newsboys have been invited to attend the matinee performance at the Empire theater on Saturday afternoon and have accepted.

Butter, Eggs and Meats.

Best Country Roll Butter, lb, 16c.
Good Jar Butter, lb 9c
Fresh Country Eggs, dozen 14c
Best Hams, 10c; Shoulders, lb, 7c
Home Grown Potatoes, bushel, 25c.
Best Michigan Potatoes, bushel, 30c.

FRUIT HOUSE

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Empire Theatre tonight. The Madison Square success, "Hazel Kirke."

C S. Stone, of Indianapolis, is in the city.

M. J. Houlihan went to Indianapolis this morning.

Miss Helen Smyser has returned from a visit in Ann Arbor.

Ex-Mayor V. J. Emerick, of Toledo, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. H. M. Cowden and daughter, of 408 Calhoun street, have gone to Crestline for a short visit.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the R. R. Y M C. A. will meet Thursday, at 2:30 p m., at their rooms.

Mrs. W. P. Harter and son, of Goshen, Ind., are in the city, the guests of her parents, 202 West Washington street

Mrs. Will H. Bond, who was here to attend the funeral of her brother, Wm. Grove, returned home to Chicago this morning

William Snyder has taken out a permit to build an addition to his house on lots 25 and 26, Spencer's addition, to cost $200.

Landlord W. D. Jones, of the New Aveline, continues to improve. His condition today is the best that it has been for several days.

Captain Tyler, who was formerly teacher of penmanship in the Fort Wayne public schools, but who now resides in Rome City, is arranging to open a writing school in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Dougall have returned from their wedding trip. In answer to questions this morning, Mr. Dougall says that marriage is not a failure, and that those who say it is don't know.

Mrs. Robert Craik, of Brookside, gave a thimble party yesterday afternoon, in honor of Misses Armstrong, of Tweswater, Ontario, who are visiting in the city. Those present were, the Mesdames Laukena, Brauer, Berghorn and the Misses Bawise.

About twenty of the doctors who were in attendance at the medical society meeting yesterday went to the Aldine restaurant in a body last evening and took supper. Special tables were arranged for them.

The annual masquerade ball of the Fort Wayne Saengerbund society was given last night in the hall on West Main street. About 150 couples attended and participated in the grand march, which was led by Mr. John Auer and Miss Annie Tremmel.

Drs. Porter, Bulson, McCaskey, Wheelock and Von Sweringen have received formal invitations to attend a banquet at the Hotel Denison, Indianapolis, on Saturday evening, Feb. 22 given in honor of Drs. Senn and Hecktoen, of Chicago. The invitation list includes twenty-five prominent physicians from various portions of the state and it is expected that the "medics" in attendance will have a big time.

Miss Anna Rost, of Charles street, entertained last evening in observance of her twenty-first birthday. The guests were self invited and Miss Rost did not know of their coming until they had arrived at her home, but they were none the less welcome and had a good time. Weisenberger's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing and those who did not care to dance, passed the hours pleasantly in playing cards and in other amusements.

AT BETHANY.

Annual Business Meeting and Reception of Pastor and Wife.

Last evening, at Bethany Presbyterian church was held the annual business meeting of the congregation. The meeting was called to order by the pastor, Rev. George E. Davies, in the auditorium of the new church edifice.

The principal business was the election of one trustee and John W. Flickinger was chosen unanimously to serve for a term of five years.

Next on the program was a review of the work of the Y. P. S. C. E. for the past year by the secretary of the society, Miss Dora Stover.

Miss Maud Van Tilburg read the report of the Sunday school for the year. The school has 149 scholars enrolled. The total attendance during the year being 5 330

Mrs John Brown, secretary of the Ladies' society, made the annual report of the work accomplished by the society.

Julius H. Beyerline, of the board of trustees, made the financial report of the church and showed that part of the business to be in a flattering condition.

F. M. Smaltz, clerk of the session, reported 140 members on the church roll; nine having been received by letter and forty-five on confession of faith during the year

The pastor made a short address congratulating the members on the work done during the past year and suggesting new plans of work for the year to come.

After the regular business, Rev. Davies and wife held a reception in the parlors of the church. Refreshments were served and a pleasant hour was spent in conversation.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

Official Call Issued by the District Chairman.

At a meeting, composed of the chairmen of the democratic central committees of the several counties of the Twelfth congressional district and the district committeeman, held at Fort Wayne, on the 8th day of January, 1896, it was determined that the convention for the nomination of a democratic candidate for congress, to represent the district, would be held at the opera house in the city of Kendallville, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 7TH, 1896,

at 2 o'clock p m. All delegates heretofore elected, or such as may be hereafter elected to said convention are requested to take notice and be present at the convention at the time and place above stated, without further notification. Democrats generally are requested to be present. The representation for the several counties is as follows, and is based upon one delegate for each one hundred and fractions of fifty votes and over cast for Claude Matthews for governor in 1892

Allen	99
DeKalb	25
Noble	29
Lagrange	14
Steuben	13
Whitley	22
Total	201

THOS. R. MARSHALL,
District Chairman.

ORGANIZATION EFFECTED

Of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical Association.

The meeting of the doctors of northeastern Indiana and northwestern Ohio which was held at the city hall yesterday, resulted in the organization of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical association. A lengthy program of papers on scientific and medical subjects was carried out as published in THE SENTINEL some time ago.

The following officers were elected by the new association:

President—Dr. C. B. Stemen, Fort Wayne.

First Vice President—J. K. Wood, Van Wert

Second Vice President—T. P. Williams, Angola

Secretary—Dr. G. W. McCaskey, Fort Wayne.

Treasurer—Dr. M. F. Porter, Fort Wayne.

Censors—Drs. J. L. Gilbert, C. E. Slocum, J. W. Squires, A. P. Buchman, H. A. Weers.

Chairman of Executive Committee—Dr. K. K Wheelock, Fort Wayne.

PRIVATE MASQUERADE

Given at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Connelly.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Connelly gave a very pleasant masquerade at their home on Monday evening, and among the unique characters taken were the following:

Katie Lineman as Flower Girl.
Nettie Suter as Topsy.
Mary Lautz as Fancy Dress.
Alice Hess as Sailor.
Orphia Trease as Egyptian Girl.
Maude Myers as Flower Girl.
H. Tegtmeyer as Summer Girl.
Maggie Connelly as Old Fashion Girl.
Mamie Connelly as Waiter.
T. Tegtmeyer as night.
Lilia O'Shaughnessey as Bowery Girl.
Mamie Reeman as Night.
Alice Dolan as Grandma.
Maggie Connelly as American Girl.
Louis Hensel, as Wild Man from Borneo.
Andrew McCarty, as American.
Wm. Connelly, as German Bum.
Clarence Springer, as Millionaire Sport.
Frank Hensel, as Mexican Bill.
Charles O'Shaughnessey, as Irishman.
John Connelly, as Sailor.
Jack Gatzaware, as Clown.
Georgie Connelly, as Little Clown.
Arthur Suter, as American Bum.
John Falvey, as New Woman.
John O'Shaughnessey, as Coon.
John McCarty, as American.
Albert Suter, as Chinaman.
Richard Erichson, as Uncle Sam.
Albert Deibold, as Dog.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs John L. Trease, of Cedarville. W. Kleinsorge and Henry C. Yobst furnished the music. Supper was served at midnight.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Entertainment To Be Given at the Simpson M. E. Church.

The following is the program to be be given by the Simpson M. E. church, Thursday evening at 7:30 at the Washington's birthday entertainment:

Song—"America"
Invocation
Solo.....Mrs. Ella Flack
Sketch of Washington's Life.....Alta Hines
Recitation.....Myrtle Lewis
Mandolin solo.....Mr. Mart Hanna
Recitation.....Grace Hines
Recitation.....Lizzie Arick
Vocal solo.....Mr. Miller
Recitation—"Baby Washington"
.....Maude Haskell
Duet.....Bertha and Maude Peckham
Recitation—"Washington".....Harry Hines
Piano solo.....Mr. Wm. Killen
Recitation—"Washington's Grave"
.....Mis Clara Watters
Music.....Trio Mandolin Club
Tableau—"George and His Hatchet"
Music.....Mandolin club
Tableau—"The Washington Family"

Carpets made and laid free, during February, at Foster's.

WAS HAVING A TIME.

William Fuller Touched for a Roll by a Woman.

He Had Drawn His Pension—John Hartman's Jag Lands Him in Jail.

William Fuller, of Albion, an old soldier, came to Fort Wayne a few days ago to draw his pension. After he had received his money he visited a resort on East Main street and fell in with a lot of bad females. While the old man was having a hilarious good time one of the girls stole his money. Then

HE WAS ROBBED.

he was made drunk and thrown out into the alley, where the police found him and took him to the county poor farm. Yesterday he related his story down town and the police now have no hopes of ever catching the naughty people who touched him for his wad.

JUST A LITTLE TOOT.

John Hartman, an employe of the Grand Central hotel, took on a comfortable load of the fiery juice of the corn last night and Officer Passino locked him up to keep him from falling through some of the store windows on Calhoun street, This morning he appeared in police court and said that he had never been there before, but the mayor didn't think that made any difference, so sent him over for eleven days.

CUPID'S BONDS

Unite Miss Sadie Caldwell and Mr. M. C. Baker.

This afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. James Caldwell, 51 West Berry street, occurred the marriage of Miss Sadie E. Caldwell and Mr. M. C. Baker, the district passenger agent of the Nickel Plate railroad. The newly wedded couple leave at 6:25 for an eastern trip and on their return will make their home in this city. The bride is a charming young lady and has a large circle of friends in this city. Mr. Baker is popular in railroad circles and holds the esteem and confidence of his company. The ceremony was performed by Rev Dr. Moffat, the pastor of the First Presbyterian church, in the presence of a few of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

15 RETAIL SHOE HOUSES

Thing & Co. Run the Largest Bargain Shoe Firm in America.

All this week. Ladies' first quality Pure Gum Rubbers—you pay 50c for them at any other store—Thing's this week price, 23c.

Misses Pure Gum Rubbers, 14c.

One thousand other bargains at Thing's this week, 32 Calhoun St.

Large Red Boot.

Notice.

We contemplate remodeling the second floor of the Vordermark building, No 32 Calhoun street, into a nice hall for lodges and societies, and we intend to fit it up nice and cosy. Lodges and societies wanting a nice, comfortable home, with all conveniences, centrally located, low rent, and only one easy stairs to climb, will please call on me at 32 Calhoun street, 9 to 12 or 2 to 5 p. m.

19,20,22 J. W. VORDERMARK.

Trampled By a Horse.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Feb. 18.—Lawrence Kestler, a merchant of Osgood, while driving on last Monday, by a sudden stop of the vehicle was thrown over the dash onto the horse's hee's, seriously injuring him.

Special Sale of fine Extension Tables at Foster's this week.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Reserve seats for the second Westminster Concert, Thursday evening, are now on sale at Woodworth's drug store. Price, 10c. 18t2

Empire Theatre tonight. "Hazel Kirke" by the Lyon Comedy Company.

For Sale.

For sale a second-hand Reedy hand elevator in good condition. A. L. Johns & Co, 51 East Columbia street. 18 10t

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Simple Directions on Every Package Enable Even a Child to Get Good Colors With Diamond Dies—Color One to Six Pounds of Goods for 10 Cents.

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One ten-cent package often saves the cost of a new gown, for it makes the old one look like new.

A Cage for the Bird.

Five dollars down and five dollars a month will buy a lot in Lakeside that is sure to double in price within a few years. Young-man-without-a-wife, now is your time to lay the foundations for a pleasant cage to put your bird in when you catch her. Commence paying for your lot now, and by the time you are ready, the Lakeside company will help you to a loan with which to build.

To Physicians in Regular Practice

Will be sent free by mail a sample bottle of Dr. Edson's Aseptolin, the newly discovered treatment for consumption, etc., together with Dr. Edson's paper, reprinted from the New York Medical Record of February 8, 1896. Those who have patients suffering from consumption are urged to test this remedy. None but physicians can use it. Address Equitable Chemical Co., 30 Reade St., New York.

Latest agony. Novelties in Delf Chairs. Foster's Court street windows.

A speciall class in plain and ornamental penmanship will be conducted at the International Business College from 4 to 5 o'clock, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons, and from 7:30 to 8 30 on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. For particulars call at college office, fourth floor, Schmit block. 17,19,22

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Empire Theatre tonight. "Hazel Kirke"—first time in this city at popular prices.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Wonderful bargains in Turkish, Moquette Velvet, Smyrna and Wilton Rugs at Foster's this week.

Wall Paper, 8 yards, white back, new designs, 2c a roll.

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11 eod tf 123 Broadway.

Edmunds and Law employ electricians. 1tf

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Children's Disease.

Nine tenths of them originate in the stomach. Senine regulates the stomach, insures perfect digestion, gives healthful, natural rest and sleep, absolutely without opium. Cures colic, costiveness, sour stomach, worm affections, restlessness, irregular appetite, colds and diarrhoea. Controls the dangers of teething, allays feverishness, prevents convulsions and gives perfect health. Sold by Freese & Ranke, J. N. Nesler, Gross & Pellens, Druggists—25 cents.

"A DOLLAR SHOW FOR A DIME."

EMPIRE THEATRE.
NO SHOW TONIGHT.
2 Shows Wednesday 2.
Matinee 2:30. Evening, 8:15
LYONS' COMEDY CO.
—IN—
HAZEL KIRKE.
Produced with new scenery and a good cast, better than what you generally pay a dollar for.
Empire Prices 10 Cents.

THE BOSTON STORE.

SPECIAL SALE BLACK DRESS GOODS This Week.

We show the largest and best selected stock of medium price Black Dress Goods in the city.

36-inch All Wool Black Serge at 29c, worth 37½c
40 inch All Wool Black Serge and Henrietta at 37½c, worth 50c.
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36-inch Black Fancy Goods at 25c.
40-inch Black Fancy Goods at 42c, worth 50c.
40-inch Black Fancy Goods at 50c, worth 75c.

We also show a large variety of new Colored Novelty Dress Goods at reduced prices this week.

New styles in Spring Ginghams, Zephyrs and Percales at special low prices for this week.

New styles in Spring Prints sold at actual cost this week.

All Winter Underwear sold at actual cost to close.

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STARTLING STATEMENT

Made by Miss Smith, Who Knows Walling and Jackson.

Letters Written to Her Contain Damaging Evidence Against Jackson as the Murderer.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 19.—Two morning papers this morning publish a startling statement made to them by Miss May Smith, of Louisville, who is acquainted with the accused murderers, Walling and Jackson. She says she was in Cincinnati, January 14, and took supper with Jackson at Heider's restaurant. Jackson told her that his friend Will Wood, at Green Castle, Ind., had got a girl into a bad condition; that Wood was going to send the girl here and he would put her out of the way. Miss Smith says she cautioned Jackson of the danger of discovery in such an enterprise. He said he was too smart to be discovered. She said after the murder of February 1, Jackson wrote to her saying that "he had disposed of the girl (meaning, Pearl Bryan) by a ——" The long dash in the letter was left for Miss Smith to fill from her memory of the conversation at Heider's, on January 14. She says she left that letter in Louisville securely hidden. If that letter in Jackson's handwriting can be obtained it will be damaging evidence. If what she says about its hiding place is true, the letter will be here tomorrow.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 19.—Investigation in this city into the life of May Smith, who is connected with Jackson and Walling in the Pearl Bryan affair, developes the fact that she came here early in January, being employed by Brion Lister and wife in the dress cutting business. The Listers opened up an establishment here on January 4 at 621 Fourth avenue. Lister had been formerly with Mrs. Fuson's cutting school in No 5253 Glen building, corner of Fifth and Race streets, Cincinnati, Ohio. A few days after opening up their establishment adjoining their residence, they were joined by May Smith, who came from Mrs. Fuson's school to teach for Mr. and Mrs. Lister. She remained there until Saturday night a week ago, when her brother from Covington called for her to take her home. Mr. Lister said this morning that on reading the first account of the affair the girl appeared horrified, as she had been in correspondence with both Jackson and Walling, and had told Mrs. Lister that she was engaged to Walling. Mrs. Lister had seen letters addressed to both men. When the account came out in the newspapers that May Smith had also been operated on by Walling and Jackson the girl stoutly denied it. Mr. Lister said, however, that about a week before Christmas, while in the employment of Mrs. Fuson, the girl was absent from the office a whole week, and if the operation was performed, it was performed at that time. Mr. Lister also declared that when the girl came back to work, she appeared altogether changed and appeared thinner and looked sickly. May Smith is between eighteen and twenty years of age, and has dark eyes and black hair, and is quite pretty.

Mr. Lister says that a man named Swan, who is connected with the Palace hotel, in Cincinnati, was a correspondent of May Smith, and that she was continually getting letters from Swan, Walling and Jackson.

When the locket was found in Cincinnati he heard May exclaim:

"Why, I know that locket. It was Jackson's, and contained a lock of Pearl Bryan's hair."

"I am positive," he said, "that she knew of the operation performed on Pearl Bryan by Walling."

Concerning the letters and papers of the Smith girl, the lady who keeps the boarding house at 621 Fourth street, said today that there had been a lot of letters and telegrams found under the matress of the bed which May Smith occupied, but that they had been burned by a little girl in the house. Mrs Lister said: "I did not read the letters, but the lady of the house did. One was from a girl in Cincinnati which said Lon was sick. Lou is Walling, you know.

"The letter was dated after the day of the murder. The letters were of no importance and had no bearing on the case and were burned." There was one letter from Jackson, in which it was stated that Walling was in trouble about a girl.

TAKEN BACK TO KANSAS.

Alleged Bigamist Howe Sent to Confront One Wife.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 19.—The police last night took C. H. Howe, the alleged bigamist arrested here Thursday night, to Kansas City, Kas., where, as H. C. Wilmoth, he married Miss Ora Wilkins last December. He also had a wife, it is said, Mrs. Belle Buell, at Effingham, Ill., whom he married as H. C. Howard. Miss Wilkins' brothers came here to identify him, and accompanied the police back. He claims to have a sister, Mrs. Fred Osborne, living at No 327 Eastern avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

FOUR INDICTMENTS.

Grand Jury at Crown Point Does Quick Work With the Accused.

CROWN POINT, Ind., Feb. 19.—The grand jury today returned four indictments for murder in the first degree. Those indicted are Emanuel Morris, a colored jockey at the Roby track, for stabbing William Judge, who just died in a Chicago hospital; Joseph Wavoritik, Mary Wavoritik, his wife, and Nick Kakie, who, it is supposed, murdered the two Huns at Whiting last week. Jockey Morris merely laughed when told he was held for murder, saying that he did not care. Kakie will endeavor to get a release from jail by habeas corpus proceedings. He claims he is a resident of Illinois and was kidnapped by Indiana authorities and brought over the state line against his will. The four were held without bail.

ANOTHER REBELION.

Corea Again the Scene of a Revolution.

The Governor of Tan-Yang Captured by the Rebels—The Trouble Due to an Order to Cut Off the Queques.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 19.—The steamer Pekin, from Yokohama, arrived this morning. Another rebellion has broken out in Corea. The governor of the Tan-Yang district has been taken prisoner by the rebels. The Corean troops defeated the rebels in two engagements, but the rebels are not yet subdued. The insurrection was caused by a royal proclamation requiring the Coreans to sacrifice their queques and wear their hair in western fashion. Several Japanese papers condemn the release of Viscount Miura, charged with instigating the murder of the Corean queen as a gross miscarriage of justice. Miura was Japanese minister at the Corean court, and after a brief preliminary examination at Hiroshima he was allowed to depart. The judge said he was convinced Miura incited the murder of the queen, if his connection with her death was not even closer, but as the evidence might not convict Miura at a trial, the preliminary examination did not hold him. The lower house of the Japanese parliament has passed a newspaper bill rescinding the power of the government to suspend newspapers.

The warlike opposition to the Japanese has moderated, except in the mountain districts. All of North Formosa is under military rule. It is expected Japanese reinforcement will proceed against the rebel army now in the mountains.

NEGLECTED DUTY.

General Vifquain Calls Americans to Time.

Wants Them to Compete With England and France for Business in Panama.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—If English and French business houses can afford to pay their traveling agents on the Isthmus of Panama $12,000 a year, including expanses, why cannot American firms do as well, is the question put by United States Consul General Vifquain at Panama, in a report to the state department treating on the unsatisfactory rate of progress made by Americans in obtaining business on the isthmus. The consul general says that this cannot be done by correspondence, and he suggests that our merchants, by combination, maintain a house of samples at Panama where their goods may be seen by the people and ordered through a resident agent.

CHILIAN WHEAT NO GOOD,

Yet it is Taking the Place of the American Product.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Last year Chilian wheat to the amount 1,185,020 bushels was imported to Peru. United States Consul Jastromisti, at Alka, who reports the fact to the state department, says that this wheat is not well adapted to the making of white bread or pastry, and it cannot bear comparison with California white wheat, which might easily command the Peruvian market if there were a line of direct steam communication down the coast.

Arizona Carnival.

PHOENIX, Ari., Feb. 19.—Over 1,000 strangers have arrived to attend the carnival which opened this morning, and several special trains will be due today. This morning there was a literary program in the park and the largest street parade ever held in the southwest, participated in by regulars, militia, civic societies, fire department and a thousand Indians of all kinds, cowboys, etc. Seventy floats were also in line. The decorations are of exceptional beauty and the electrical display attractive.

MAHER TRAINING.

Wears Goggles, But Will be Able to Drop Them by Friday.

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 19.—The condition of Maher's eyes is reported this morning to be improved over that of yesterday and he will today go through his regular routine of training. He will be compelled to wear goggles for a day or two, but it is reported from his training quarters that he will be in condition to enter the ring on Friday.

GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 19.—Rumor is current here that Maher and Fitzsimmons will leave El Paso tonight, arrive at Galveston Friday afternoon and take steam tug with barge attached and go three or four miles into the Gulf of Mexico and fight for the championship before the kinetoscope and a few witnesses. It is said the kinetoscope people are willing to pay the purse and all expenses, and Stuart, despairing of the crowd at El Paso, is willing to do anything that will let him out on the deal. The scheme seems to be entirely feasible and is believed by sports here to be in contemplation, if not actually agreed upon.

Royal Sympathy.

BERLIN, Feb. 19.—The Empress of Germany today received Mrs. Runyon, widow of the late United States ambassador, in an audience of condolence.

STRIKE THREATENED

Among the Workers in the Manufacture of Clothing.

Chicago Will Witness a Strike That Will Only End After a Long and Bitter Struggle.

CHICAGO, Jan 19.—It is the general belief among men connected with the manufacture of clothing that the biggest strike of workers in that line that Chicago has ever witnessed is at hand and that it will only end after a long and bitter struggle. Strike talk was heard on all sides at the headquarters of the Clothing Cutters' and Trimmers' association last night. One after another of the shop presidents dropped in and joined in a conference and it looked as if a general strike might be ordered for today. It was finally decided, however, to leave decisive action to a special meeting of the cutters and trimmers, which has been called for tonight. Then it is almost certain a strike of every union man in every clothing factory in the city, where the proprietors are known to have taken part in the meeting which decided to make war on the union will be ordered. To determine who are friendly and who are opposed to the organization the union has ordered each shop president to have an interview with the proprietor and report to the meeting tonight. The men were informed yesterday in a formal statement by the manufacturers that it had been decided to deal with the cutters and trimmers as individuals and refuse to recognize the officers of the union. Last night the cutters and trimmers employed by two firms decided not to go to work this morning. This makes six firms where the cutters have struck since being informed of the action of the manufacturers.

THE WORK OF RESCUE

Goes Bravely on at the Ill-Fated Mine.

It is Now Estimated That the Number of Entombed Men Will Reach Sixty.

NEW CASTLE, Col., Feb 19.—All night a throng of weeping women and children stood about the mouth of the Vulcan mine, while a hardy band of rescuers were working earnestly and systematically in the hope of soon being able to reach the sixty or seventy entombed miners, all of whom, it is conceded, must now be dead.

The men succeeded in entering the shaft about 200 feet, but were driven out by the black damp and gas, which was continually belching forth.

John Evans, who went 300 feet down the main slope, reported the timbers in good shape and that the mine was only wrecked at the mouth of the slope, where the gas has an opportunity to expand.

The work of putting a new fan in place, so as to supply fresh air and make it possible for rescuers to penetrate the mine to the levels where the men were working when the explosion occurred was prosecuted throughout the night with all possible speed and the fan was in operation early this morning.

Opinions differ as to the cause of the explosion. Some say it was caused by a windy shot, others believe there was an explosion of coal dust, asserting that the company had been negligent in not having the rooms sprinkled as often as the law requires. It is impossible as yet to give a full and accurate list of the killed, as the list of those on duty at the time of the explosion is supposed to be in the pocket of Pit Boss James Harrison, who lies at the bottom of the slope, probably dead.

ALLEGED CORRUPTION.

Policemen are Arrested Charged With Extortion and Blackmail.

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 19.—That the Danville police force is rotten to the core is generally admitted. It is the sensation of the hour. Policeman Stokes and G. W. Ridley, candidate for alderman, were arrested Saturday for extortion. Today Policemen Stokes and Moore were arrested on another charge of blackmail. It is charged that they extorted $100 in property out of Horace Howorth and Bert Pritchard, of Georgetown, in order to secure themselves against arrest for stealing a robe from Kendal's livery stable. Moore, it is said, got a horse worth $60 and a note for $40, on which he sued for collection.

Secures an Editorial Position.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Slason Thompson, until recently editor in chief of the Evening Journal, has accepted a position on the editorial staff of the Evening Post.

A STARTLING DISCLOSURE.

Applicant for Pension Married an Undivorced Man.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb 19.—Government officials have just finished investigating a matter brought up here by an application for a widow's pension, which has developed a peculiar state of affairs and places a highly respected lady in a decidedly embarrassing position. Early in 1872. John C. Curtis brought suit against his wife, Julia, for divorce. During their absence from the city their attorneys, considering both non residents, withdrew the application by agreement. Meanwhile the local newspapers erroneously announced that a divorce had been granted and friends furnished both parties with copies of the papers. A year later Mrs. Curtis remarried and five years later Curtis followed suit. Since then both have died and Mrs Curtis No. 2 moved to Chicago, from where she made application for pension by virtue of the fact that she was the widow of the deceased soldier. This led the government to investigate the case, with the result that she was confronted with the fact that she is the widow of an undivorced man. The whereabouts of Mrs. Curtis No. 1's husband is unknown.

HENCH GOES UP.

Elevated to Second Place on the Grand Lodge Roster.

A Worthy Fort Wayne Citizen Honored by His A. O. U. W. Brethren.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 19.—The grand lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen of Indiana met in this city yesterday in its seventh biennial session, with Grand Master T. D. Neal in the chair. The other grand officers were all present, but the attendance of representatives was not so large as the last meeting.

Grand Master Workman Neal resigned for business reason. The resignation was accepted by the grand lodge after Mr. Neal had explained his position by stating that it was impossible, for private reasons, for Grand Foreman Harry S. Chester to fill the office of grand master workman. By his resignation a vacancy would thus occur, and by reason of such vacancy Harry S. Chester would succeed him. Upon this understanding the resignation was accepted. The other officers were promoted in regular line. Supreme Foreman J. G. Tate, of Grand Island, Neb., is in attendance. Ninety eight persons were given the grand lodge degree.

The afternoon session of yesterday was taken up with the report of the committee on laws. Some minor changes were made. The per capita tax was left at $1 50.

A public session was held last night. Mayor Schafer welcomed the visitors and ex Grand Master Neal responded, followed by an address by J. G. Tate.

The election of officers took place this morning and resulted as follows:

Past Grand Master Workman—Harry S. Chester, of Elkhart.

Grand Master Workman—Thomas D. Neal, of Frankton.

Grand Foreman—George R. Hench, of Fort Wayne.

Grand Overseer—John D. Mitchell, of New Albany.

Grand Guide—R. C. Baxter, of Auburn.

Inside Watchman—L. M. Earl, of Evansville.

Outside Watchman—Titus Cummings, of Tell City.

Grand Medical Examiner—Dr. Douglass D. Ramsey, of Mt. Vernon.

Supreme Representatives—T. D. Neal, H. S. Chester, James Cox.

Alternates—C. C. Genung, L. H. Carr, P. H Barrett.

The per capita tax was left as it was last year, no change being made. A motion to create an emergency fund was referred to the committee on laws.

New Railroad.

SUN DANCE, Wyo., Feb. 19.—The Wyoming and Black Hills railroad company, with a capital stock of $3,000,000 has been organized here. Henry M. Cutter, of Boston, Valentine Baker, of Cheyenne, and Apha A. Merritt, of this place, were elected trustees of the company for the first year. The object of the company is to build a line from Spear Fish, S. D., to Sun Dance in order to open the rich coal fields of this vicinity.

Horrible Death.

NORMAN, Okla., Feb. 17.—Martin Bell, twenty-five years old, was killed at Linden, a few miles from here, in a shocking manner. He was employed at a sawmill and was carrying a piece of timber. When near the large saw he tripped and fell forward, his body falling across the saw. Both arms were cut off and his head was separated from his body.

Prophesied His Own Death.

BRAZIL, Ind., Feb. 19.—Joseph Abbott, an old soldier of Staunton, died suddenly Monday. He returned from a visit to Pennsylvania ten days ago, and he told his friends that he would be dead in ten days. He was apparently in good health; nevertheless, he died on the tenth day of heart disease. The deceased was fifty-five years old.

Burned to Death.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 19.—News has been received here of the death by prairie fire of three Mexicans near Laguna Corronodas, Hockley county. The men went into camp and while asleep the grass was ignited by sparks from their camp fire and before they could escape they were so badly burned that all died in a short time.

A Wedding at Greensburg.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Feb. 19.—John Houser and Miss Nettie P Phillips were united in marriage last night by the Rev. J. W. Duncan. Miss Phillips is about fifty years old. The bridegroom is about seventy five years old and is worth about $60,000.

Messrs. L. H. Wise, H. H. Ludwig and D. H. Edwards, the county commissioners of Van Wert county, Ohio, were in the city yesterday, looking at our county infirmary and inspecting the steam apparatus at the institution. They visited our county commissioners and returned to their homes last evening.

Miss Louise Hilgeman, of East Washington street, celebrated her birthday last evening.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

POLITICAL SURPRISES.

Pennsylvania Upset the Calculations of the Bosses.

Democrats and Republicans Exchange Honors in Routing Each Other in the Municipalities.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 19.—The plurality of 80 903 given yesterday for John L. Kinsey, the republican candidate for city solicitor in this city, has only been exceeded once. In 1894 Governor Hastings got a "tidal wave" plurality of 85,132. In selectmen the the democrats have only three out of thirty seven members, a loss of four.

All of the morning papers agree that reform was "snowed under." In many instances councilmanic candidates opposed vigorously by the Municipal league were re elected by larger majorities than ever before, notwithstanding the appeals issued by the league to citizens, "to elect a better class of men to the council, who will give the people better water, better gas, municipal ownership of electric lights and cheaper street car fares" and incidentally, "overthrow the bosses."

For the first time since its organization the league ran a candidate on the general ticket in the person of John A. McCarthy for magistrate. Out of 185,481 votes cast, 7 072 were for McCarthy. This is regarded by many as the strength of the league in this city, although the vote was so cut up by ward fights that it is difficult to estimate the actual number of league ballots cast.

In the state there were many surprises. Republicans carried democratic strongholds and democrats were successful where republicanism had formerly held sway. This was due in every instance to local conditions. The greater number of victories are, however, to be credited to the republicans. Probably the most interesting fight in the state, outside of Pittsburg was in Scranton, where ex-Mayor Connell and Congressman Scranton, leaders of rival republican factions, had a bitter fight. The latter was successful, with the aid of democratic votes, electing James G. Bailey, democrat, mayor and the balance of the democratic ticket by about 500 plurality. Mr. Scranton bolted the republican convention and was nominated on a rival ticket, but afterwards withdrew his candidates and supported the democrats. At Reading, in a total vote of over 11,000, Jacob Weidel, democrat, was elected mayor by 164 majority. They also elected Henry G. Young city treasurer, but Adam H. Leader, republican, was chosen controller by a big majority. At York, after a hot fight, Charles W. Brandt, democrat, was elected mayor by twenty-eight majority. Altoona elected H. C. Barr, republican, mayor and George Harpham, republican, controller by about 200 majority. Last night the election of their democratic opponents were conceded. The rest of the republican ticket got 800 majority. The democrats gained three common councilmen.

The unexpected happened at Williamsport, where in a hot three-cornered fight, the prohibitionists elected James Mansel mayor by about 300 plurality.

OHIO LIQUOR TAX INCREASED.

New Law Raises the Assessment From $200 to $300.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 19.—The legislature yesterday took a decided step in the direction of regulating the liquor traffic of the state. For many years no special tax was paid by the liquor dealers in Ohio, but for the last five years each saloon was assessed $200. Yesterday a bill was enacted into a law requiring each wholesaler and retailer in liquor to pay an annual tax of $300.

INDIANA COAL MINES CLOSE.

About 300 Men Thrown Out of Work at Brazil.

BRAZIL, Ind., Feb 19.—The mining business here at present is very dull. The Block Coal company closed down one of their mines today and the Zeller Coal company likewise closed their American Beauty mine, throwing altogether 300 men out of employment. The operators claim the demand for coal is extremely meager, necessitating the closing down of some of the mines.

THOUGHT HE TOOK QUININE.

David Taylor May Die From Somebody's Carelessness.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Feb. 18.—David Taylor, a well known mechanic, is in a critical condition from taking a drug bought for quinine. He fell unconscious on the street.

Kennel Club Show.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The twentieth annual bench show of the Westminster Kennel club opened in Madison Square Garden today and will be continued until Saturday night. Former exhibitions have begun on Tuesdays and ended on Fridays.

Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary.

PORTLAND, Ind., Feb. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Moses F. Smith, of this city, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding yesterday with a large gathering. They were married in Ohio in 1836.

Died of His Injuries.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Feb. 18.—Alonzo Strange, age thirty-two years, died last night of injuries sustained by falling from a hay mow one week ago.

VENDER OF BAD MEAT.

Indiana Appellate Court Indorses the Sentence of Emil Moeschke.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 19.—The appellate court ruled that the Lake circuit court did not err in the conviction and sentence of Emil Moeschke of Hammond, who was fined $500 and imprisoned for six months for selling diseased horse flesh for food. It was sought to have the case reversed because the complaint did not allege that the meat was sold in the state, an averment which the higher court holds to be immaterial.

ANOTHER PRESENT

Received by Mayor Oakley, This Time a Surprise.

He Found it in His Front Yard This Morning—City Hall News and Notes.

Mayor Oakley received another present this morning but it was not given to him with a speech and he does not know who to thank for it. This morning when the colonel looked out of a front window at his residence on West Main street he found in the front yard an empty beer barrel. It had been thrown in there during the night. The mayor appreciated the joke and thinks of using the barrel as a flower pot next summer.

BOARD MEETS TONIGHT.

The board of public safety has a regular weekly meeting tonight but just what it is for is a mystery. At the office of the board this morning it was stated that there was nothing to come up for consideration and nobody could imagine what the board would have to do. The only matter the board had under consideration was the contract for the new patrol wagon and this was let last Saturday.

WILL START FRIDAY.

The contract of Martin Schele for hauling garbage expires tomorrow. Friday morning the new garbage wagons will be started out to make the rounds of the city. The new contractors will begin their work on that day.

Dr. W. H. Myers has returned from Chicago, where he witnessed some experiments with the Roentgen rays in photography. The experiments were very successful.

Dr. Enslen yesterday afternoon performed an operation upon Edward Cleary, of Shawnee avenue, removing a tumor from between the thumb and first finger of the left hand.

$100,000.00 ANNUALLY

From Fort Wayne for Missions and Church Benevolent Societies.

Given by the Old Fort Spice and Extract company. They have formulated a plan whereby the Missionary societies of various denominations and church societies throughout the United States can create a source of untold amount of revenue for their treasury, and without any labor on the part of the society.

The Old Fort Spice and Extract company have proposed to furnish through the wholesale and retail trade the above societies with a high grade of Baking Powder and Flavoring Extracts under the title or name of "Missionary Baking Powder" and "Missionary Flavoring Extracts," and with each package of baking powder and flavoring extract they guarantee to put a redeemable coupon ranging from 1c to 5c as follows:

1 lb can Missionary Baking Powder with a 5c redeemable coupon, 25c.

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¼ lb can Missionary Baking Powder with a 2c redeemable coupon, 10c.

1 bottle Missionary Vanilla Extract with a 2c redeemable coupon, 15c.

1 bottle Missionary Lemon Extract with a 1c redeemable coupon, 10c.

These coupons represent cash to the Missionary societies or other church benevolent societies. All this company asks or requests of the several societies as a consideration on their part is to use and have their friends and neighbors use Missionary Baking Powder and Missionary Flavoring Extracts and save the coupons thus obtained, and turn the same over to their treasurer as cash, which will be redeemed by the Old Fort Spice and Extract company or any of the national banks of Fort Wayne, Ind., in sums of $1 and upward for their face value only when presented by the treasurer of the Missionary or church societies.

These goods are guaranteed to have no superior on the market and the same high grade and purity will be maintained. These goods will be placed upon the market through the wholesale and retail trade throughout the United States. The Old Fort Spice and Extract company have patented the word "Missionary" in connection with the various articles they manufacture, so as to protect the dealer and the members of the various missionary and church societies and their friends, as the Old Fort Spice and Extract company guarantee a redeemable coupon in each package which represents cash to the missionary and church societies.

This is by far the best plan we as missionaries have ever seen to aid us, as we have made a very careful computation and find that if only each member would use one pound of the missionary Baking Powder during twelve months over one hundred thousand dollars ($100 000) will be paid into our treasury for the coupons we have gathered and had turned over for cash.

Miss Alma Nichols, of No. 224 Indiana avenue, is ill.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

TRIO OF TOUGHS

Create a Reign of Terror in the East End.

Set Fire to a Barn, Knock a Man Senseless, Steal Beer, Get Drunk and in Jail.

The east end of the city was terrorized yesterday afternoon by a trio of young toughs named Charles Steedley, Edward Lauer and Walter Cherry. The police were called to quell what was reported to be a riot and the affair turned out to be a bloody one.

Steedley, Lauer and Cherry got drunk yesterday afternoon and proceeded to raise a disturbance. They are charged with stealing some beer at the Berghoff brewery with which they became intoxicated. They tried to break into several residences on Dwenger avenue, frightening women and children almost to death and making all sorts of threats toward them. At the residence of Newton Relue they entered the barn and built a fire. Here they continued their orgies, drinking and making a racket until the place became too quiet for them and they left. Upon leaving the barn they did not extinguish the fire but left it burning. Neighbors and children who saw the fire had to gather after the gang had left and put out the fire with buckets of water to prevent the barn from burning down. A large hole was burned in the floor and some of the contents of the place were also destroyed.

The trio of toughs then headed for the soap factory. On the road they met John C. Coling, who drives a butcher's wagon. Coling had a load of tallow on the wagon. This was dumped off by the young desperadoes, and they attacked Coling with a large bone which was in one of the barrels on the wagon. Coling got away from them and ran to the soap factory. Gus Berghoff saw the fracas and ordered the three fellows away. They then went after him. Berghoff seized a long iron poker and called out the employes of the factory and they started in to clean out the gang. Martin Bisson, one of the neighbors who had also arrived, was struck on the head and face by one of the rioters with the same bone which had been used on Coling. Bisson was knocked senseless and had to be carried home unconscious. Berghoff was also struck on the hand with the same bone.

The riot assumed a desperate character and it was seen that something decisive had to be done. A hurry-up call was sent to the police station. Then the soap factory men chased the toughs toward the river. They surrounded two of them, Lauer and Cherry, at the water's edge. Lauer was easily captured, but Cherry jumped into the river to escape. He soon changed his mind, however, and came out and gave himself up.

By this time the patrol wagon, with Lieutenant Lapp, Sergeant Jewell and Officer Hines arrived and took charge of the prisoners. Steedley had not yet been captured, but Hines caught sight of him and gave chase. After running him all over that part of town, through buildings, streets, alleys, etc., the tough was brought to bay and taken to the police station with his two companions.

This morning, in police court, Steedley, Lauer and Cherry were bound over to circuit court in the sum of $300 on a charge of assault and battery. In circuit court they will also be charged with riot, larceny, arson and intoxication.

Bisson, the man who was knocked senseless by the gang, was in a serious condition this morning. His face and head are badly cut. Gus Berghoff's hand was also cut and he carries it in a sling.

CHICAGO'S BLACK SNOW

It Proves to Be Silt and Clay.

Gathered From the Fields of Nebraska and Carried Hundreds of Miles in the Air.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—An official statement concerning Chicago's black snow was given to the Associated Press today by Chief Moore, of the weather bureau. Mr Moore's explanation is as follows:

"The black snow that has lately fallen in Chicago and the northwest is entirely similar to the great fall of January, 1895, the nature of which was thoroughly investigated by the weather bureau at that time. Notwithstanding the theoretical suggestion that the black deposit of last January might have come beyond the earth and might be meteoric or cometic or might even be the volcanic dust from Alaska or Japan, careful investigation showed that it was due to none of these causes. On the contrary, microscopic examination proved that the black deposit contains about 4 per cent. of the most delicate organic structures (such as diatoms and spores) and about 6 per cent. of the finest possible inorganic matter, such as makes up the ordinary fine silt and clay soils. All this fine material is easily caught up by the dry winds whenever they exceed twenty miles per hour and is carried to great distances before it has time and opportunity to settle on the ground. It is easily brought down in large quantities by snow or rain, but is only perceived by the ordinary observer when there is a clean surface of snow for it to fall upon. Large portions of country from Nebraska southward to the gulf are covered by this fine soil, whose depth sometimes is 100 feet. A gale of wind has been known to carry away six inches of the surface soil from a freshly cultivated field and spread it over the land 100 miles away. The blackness is due to the fineness of the silt and not to any magnetic iron."

PHYSICIANS FOR POOR.

The County Commissioners Make Their Appointments.

Chicken Thieves Given One Year in Prison—Big Bastardy Suit on Trial.

The county commissioners have made the following appointments of physicians, for the different townships and territories in this city, for the poor who require their attention during the year.

Dr. W. F. Schrader for all that part of the city east of Calhoun, north of Lewis and south of River streets, which includes Hope hospital.

Dr. Wm. Enslen, all that part of the city west of Calhoun and south and east of the St. Mary's river, including the county jail and the St. Joe hospital.

Dr. John Nichols, Washington township outside of the city and Wayne east of Calhoun and north of the rivers.

Dr. M. W. Tinkham, Wayne township outside of the city, including the county infirmary.

Dr. H. E. Adams, for the townships of Cedar Creek, Scipio, Milan, Monroe and Springfield.

Dr. J. L. Smith, Madison and Monroe townships.

Dr. S. N. Meyers, Jefferson township.

BIG BASTARDY SUIT.

The office of Justice Harry France was crowded this afternoon to listen to the evidence in the bastardy case of Emma Shellner against Frank Fogel, of Huntertown. There were fifteen witnesses for the prosecution and thirty-five for the defense. The case is being hotly contested. N. D. Doughman and E. V. Emrick are the attorneys for the state and J. M. Robinson, of this city, and A. G. Dunton, of Huntertown, of the defense.

CRIMINALS GOT ONE YEAR.

The jury in the case of the state against Adam Rowe and Henry Koons, charged with stealing chickens, returned a verdict of guilty this morning at 9 o'clock and the defendants were given one year in the penitentiary.

PLENTY OF GAS

In the Territory Where We Get Our Supply.

M. L. Jones, in reply to an inquiry made by him, has received the following letter from J. C. Leach, the state supervisor of natural gas:

KOKOMO, Ind., Feb. 8, '96

After an investigation of the Fort Wayne Gas supply, both in the territory and in the city, I am satisfied that the late trouble was local, that is owing to water and ice in the pipe lines and I hope it will not occur again. The supply of gas is abundant.

Yours truly,

J. C. LEACH

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Mrs. Ella Brinkman Died Last Night From Blood Poisoning.

Mrs. Ella Brinkman died last night at the family residence, No. 173 Gay street, from blood poisoning. She was thirty-three years of age and leaves a husband and leaves a husband and seven small children.

The time of the funeral has not yet been set.

LAYMAN.

The three weeks old child of Mr. and Mrs O. W. Layman, of No. 331 Hoagland avenue, died last night from exhaustion. The funeral will be held at the residence tomorrow afternoon.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lange will be held at the residence, No. 331 West Jefferson street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Not Mrs. Cody.

STOCKTON, Cal., Feb. 19.—The demented woman who was detained by the police here on the suspicion that she was the missing Mrs. Cody, of Chicago, is not the lost woman. Chief Smith, of Tacoma, where Mrs. Cody was last seen, visited the woman and said she did not look like Mrs Cody.

OFFICERS ELECTED

By Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection Last Night.

Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection last evening elected the following officers: Wm. Geake, T. P. G. M., James Harper, deputy G. M., Daniel L. Harding, Ven. Sr. Gr. W., James M. Henry, Ven. Jr. Gr. W., Henry C. Hanna, Gr. orator; Geo. W. Pixley, Gr. treasurer; Charles B. Fitch, Gr. secretary, Charles A. Wilding, Gr. M. of C., James C. Craig, Gr. C. of G., Cecilius R. Higgins, Gr. hospitaler, Marion Teagarden, Gr. tyler, Geo. W. Pixley, Robert A. Liggett, Jacob W. Clark, trustees.

A Noted Divine Dead.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 19.—Rev. J. D. McDonnall, pastor of St. Andrews church this city, and probably the best known Presbyterian divine in Canada, died today.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—To day's statement of the condition of the treasury shows, available cash balance, $222 225,303; gold reserve, $93 014,432.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Wheaty Bee Hives.

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SMASH GO THE PRICES ON Boys' Reefer Coats.

SMASH GO THE PRICES ON Juvenile Attire.

SMASH GO THE PRICES ON

- Boys' Shirt Waists.
- HATS and CAPS.
- UNDERWEAR.
- NECKWEAR.
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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, FEB 19 1896

TONIGHT.

MIDWAY PLAISANCE—Production of the World's Fair Street by the Fort Wayne Military Companies at Princess Rink.

MASONIC TEMPLE—Jessie Mae Hall and company in leading Comedy Plays at Popular Prices

EMPIRE THEATRE—The Lyon's Comedy Company. The play of "Hazel Kirke."

KNIGHTS OF THE MACABEES—Special meeting of Mad Anthony Tent, at their hall.

PRAYER MEETINGS—At Different City Churches.

SOCIAL—Bee Hive No 27, Ladies of the Macabees at the home of Mrs Chas Flynn, No 11 Cass street.

LENTEN SERVICES—At all Catholic Churches and also at Trinity Episcopal Church

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY—Regular meeting at City Hall.

MACHINISTS' UNION — Regular meeting

JR. O. U. A. M—Wayne Council No 45 Regular Meeting

BOILERMAKERS' UNION—Regular meeting

WHEELMAKERS' UNION, No. 5,323—Regular meeting.

KNIGHTS OF ST. JOHN—Emmett Commandery, No. 17.

LODGES—Fort Wayne Lodge No 12, A. O. U. W., Maumee Lodge No 50, A. O. U. W; Red Men's Lodge; Concordia Lodge, No. 223, I. O. O. F.

As a heating fuel, natural gas is not a howling success during severe cold weather.

Ice cream soda has put in its appearance, notwithstanding the fearful blizzard of last night.

Edison prophesies that in ten years horseless carriages will be the rule, and horse propelled vehicles the exception

The beginning of the Lenten season will be the end, for the time being, of many social pleasures

A statistician computes that the queen is now sovereign over a continent, 100 peninsulas, 500 promontories, 1,000 lakes, 2,000 rivers and 10,000 islands.

The senate talks of an early adjournment. For all the good it is doing the country it might have adjourned six or eight weeks ago

Things are getting around to where it looks as if it would be McKinley against the field, and the field is a troublesome thing to tackle.

Susan B. Anthony celebrated her seventy-ninth birthday on Saturday. Miss Anthony has arrived at a time in life when she does not attempt to conceal the number of her birthdays.

The South Bend Times made a canvass of the voters of South Bend, irrespective of politics, and found that McKinley and Matthews were largely the favorites in the presidential race

Public sentiment has driven prize fighting out of every state of the union. Now let the same kind of public sentiment be manufactured in other countries and then the prize fighters will find their brutal occupations gone altogether.

Eleven "favorite sons" are now in line for the republican presidential nomination This leads the Chicago Inter Ocean into giving this advice: "Don't tramp on the soft corns of 'favorite sons' You may want to gather in their crop when 'the reaping time' comes

The argument before the supreme court in the Nicholson law case, which was to have taken place today, has been postponed on account of the illness of Judge Jordan, who is confined to his home at Martinsville It is understood now that the argument will not be heard until week after next.

The Lenten season, which began to day, continues forty days, or until Easter Sunday, April 5th. It is observed in commemoration of the forty days fast of our Savior, during which time penances are done, and all amusements are abstained from, that is by those who profess to be Christians and are members of certain denominations.

The report that the Cubans are willing to pay $100 000 000 for their independence may or may not be true. Certainly freedom would be worth that sum, and it would be wise for Spain to accept the offer if it is made It will cost many times that amount to keep the Cubans in submission, for even if the present rebellion is crushed another will follow sooner or later.

Dr David McCure, for many years a prominent democrat of Clark county, and who had served in the house and senate of the Indiana legislature several terms, died at his home at Jeffersonville on Sunday, the 16th inst, in the eighty-first year of his age. He was eminent as a physician, distinguished for his generosity and philanthropy among the poor, and was a citizen of high character.

All attempts to bulldoze Governor Matthews into calling a special session of the legislature to consider the apportionment will fail The republicans would like to upset the 1885 legislative apportionment act, and at the same time would like to keep their nineteen hold over senators, elected two years ago. Fifty thousand dollars for a special session of the legislature to pass an apportionment act that can only be good for one election is paying too dearly for it.

S. P. Sheerin, secretary of the democratic national committee and a leader in Indiana politics, is warmly supporting Governor Claude Matthews for the presidential nomination at the Chicago convention. Since Indiana was admitted no democratic president has been elected without the Hoosier electoral vote. Mr. Sheerin says no democrat will deny that the Indiana vote will be needed this year, and he insists that Governor Matthews' nomination will insure it for the democrats

The list of republican candidates for the nomination of governor of Indiana now stands at the unlucky number of thirteen and it includes Frank B Posey, Evansville; R. T. Gardner, Washington, James Riley, Vincennes, Will Cumback, Greensburg; James Johnson, Rockville; John L Griffiths, Indianapolis, J. C. Adams Indianapolis; Major Charles Doxey, Anderson; Theodore Shockney, Union City, J. J Todd, Bluffton; W. D. Owen, Logansport; Charles F. Griffin, Hammond, and C E Everett, of this city.

Later and authoritative advices must be awaited before the truth is thoroughly established that Dr. Nansen has reached the north pole At present it looks as though he will have to bring the pole with him in order to convince a doubting world that he has actually found it. One reason why the report that Dr. Nansen succeeded in reaching the north pole is not generally believed is that such reports have been sent out before, but have invariably proven false. But the explorers are persistent, and some day some of them will succeed in reaching the pole, if Dr. Nansen has not.

The republicans of this congressional district will meet at Auburn on the 18th of March for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and also to select two delegates to their national convention. There isn't any contest for the nomination for congress, it being generally conceded that the present incumbent, Mr Leighty, will be renominated, but for delegate to the national convention there is a big fight on. Frank L. Roby, of Steuben county, will be chosen by acclamation for one of the delegates. The candidates for the honor of being the other delegate are all from Allen county and are as follows R T. McDonald, C D Law, B W. Sachton and Frank Alderman. Since the retirement of Harrison as a candidate all of them are McKinley men All of these gentlemen are working hard for themselves and the contest for votes from this time until the convention decides the matter will be an interesting one. The democrats will look on while the fight goes on and enjoy the fun.

Farmers living in the vicinity of Lake City, Mich, are seriously talking of boycotting that town, because the cows are permitted to run loose on the streets of the city, and when a farmer with a load of garden truck or feed stops to do any trading the cows gather around his wagon and eat his stock and more than his profits The farmers say they are not in the free lunch business and the cows must be restrained or they will do their trading elsewhere. We would suggest to the farmers up there that they send for Councilman John Mohr, jr., of this city. He would go to Lake City with his celebrated cow ordinance and get rid of the bovines on the streets in a hurry.

The new recruitiing system for the army, aided by the hard times for the last few years, has resulted in bringing the enlisted strength up to its maximum and a few days ago orders were issued by the adjutant general, who is in charge of the work, instructing the recruiting officers accordingly. Several of the minor stations where men have been enlisted have been closed temporarily and the officers on the detail have been given other duties. Recruits have been coming in rapidly for some months, and they are a good class of men, most of whom have been out of employment and have taken to the army in preference to any uncertainty regarding their board and lodging Then, the new regulations governing recruiting places make it optional with regimental commanders as to filling their commands. This has resulted in more care being taken, for the regimental adjutants are careful to enlist only such men as will be a credit to their discernment of character. The new instructions to the recruiting officers are that they should enlist only the very highest class of applicants and be very sparing in enlisting them.

The prohibitionists of Indiana will meet at Indianapolis Wednesday and Thursday of next week for the purpose of making a state ticket, appointing delegates to the national convention of the party, which will be held in Pittsburg, May 27, and nominating an electoral ticket. The leaders say that it will be the largest and most spirited convention the party has ever held in Indiana. The party has on its hands a contest between the two factions known as the "broad gauge" and the "narrow gauge." It is the pending conflict between these two factions, it is said, that has created so much interest in the convention. The "broad gauge" faction is in favor of making a platform that will discuss all the public questions of general interest, including a declaration in favor of the unlimited coinage of silver, a plank denouncing monopolies, and plain declarations on all the subjects that other state conventions are likely to discuss. The "narrow gauge" faction will insist that the party stick to what it calls the "dominant issue," or prohibition. The information here is that the factions are about of equal strength.

This is Certainly a Chance Which Should Not Be Lost.

We are aware that our people who suffer from nervous, chronic or long standing complaints do not have the same opportunity to be cured as do the residents of the great cities where the most eminent physicians and specialists reside. In other words our people are debarred from seeking a cure by the great and skilled physicians owing to the cost of travel to the large city and the high fees charged by such physicians.

Here, therefore, is a chance for the sick of our community which should not be lost. Dr. Greene of 35 West 14th St, New York City, who has the largest practice in the world and who is without doubt the most successful specialist in curing all forms of nervous and chronic diseases, offers to give free consultation by mail to all sufferers whom their local physician has failed to cure. You have the privilege of consulting Dr. Greene by letter, describing your complaints, and he will, after carefully considering your condition, send you a letter fully explaining all your symptoms, telling you everything about your complaint so plainly that you will understand exactly what ails you He will also give you his advice, based upon his vast experience and wonderful success in treating such cases, as to just what to do to get cured. All this will cost you nothing and you can thus have consultation with the best known physician and acknowledged most successful specialist in the world, without leaving home and at no expense whatever The Doctor is the discoverer of that greatest of all known medicines, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and he has discovered many other most valuable remedies. Write to him now, for this is a chance to get cured which you may never have again

If the Gladstone government had not been overthrown in the summer of 1895, the boundary question between British Guiana and Venezuela would have been settled long ago by arbitration and there would never have been any more trouble Lord Granville was then the British secretary for foreign affairs Venezuela had three questions for settlement with Great Britain One was some indemnity claims that had been made by British subjects against Venezuela; another was a controversy concerning import duties, while the third one was this very matter of disputed boundaries Lord Granville, with the approval of Gladstone had written a letter agreeing to arbitrate the respective subjects to a joint commission from the two governments, when the sudden downfall of the liberal government upset the proceeding and left it for the Conservatives, with Salisbury at their head to destroy all that had been accomplished toward a settlement of affairs between Venezuela and Great Britain. Without offense it may be remarked that if political jealousy in 1885 had not prompted Salisbury to undo what his Liberal predecessor had done he would not have got into hot water on Venezuelan questions in 1895.

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AUTHORESS MARRIED.

Amelie Rives Catches a Real Live Nobleman.

Prince Troubetzkoy Falls Captive to Her Pretty Face and Daddy's Many Dollars.

Charlottsville, Va, Feb. 19.—Amelia Rives Chanller and Prince Pierre Troubetzkoy, a Russian nobleman, were married at 3 o'clock this afternoon, at "Cattle Hill," the home of Col. Alfred Rives, father of the authoress. Paul L Menzel, D. D, of Richmond, a Lutheran clergyman, performed the ceremony. It was witnessed only by members of the family, Miss Julia Magruder, the authoress, and Allen Potts, of Richmond The couple will remain here for some time and afterward they will take a trip abroad They will live in London, the home of Prince Troubetzkoy. The bride was divorced last October from John Armstrong Chantler, of New York, to whom she was married in 1888, while at the height of her literary fame.

BOSTON HAS 100,000 CORNS.

Bill to Regulate the Chiropodist Industry Reveals Startling Figures.

Boston, Mass, Feb. 18.—A bill is before the Massachusetts legislature which provides for a state commission for the regulation of chiropodists, and the sentiment in favor of it is so strong that it bids fair to become a law. A number of prominent chiropodists advocate the measure on the ground that chiropody is being used as a cloak for carrying on an immoral business by a good many people in the large cities, particularly in Boston. A state commission, they believe, would protect the legitimate members of the profession and punish the pretenders. The business in Boston has become an important industry for, it was stated at a hearing that seventy five persons are engaged in it legitimately, and that 100 000 Bostonians have corns which require treatment in the course of a year

SIR 'ENRY'S ACTOR.

He Liked Congressman Crowley, but Could Not Understand His Metaphor.

He was as corpulent as an exclamation point, and he had a sort of tongue tied walk, reminding one of a bad case of locomotor ataxia. His asbestus tinted frizzes were parted amidships, like my lady's well groomed Yorkshire terrier, and his larboard eyebrow executed a St. Vitus' dance in an effort to retain a strangle hold on the monocle screwed in his eye.

He was one of Sir Henry's actors, and together with Sir Henry had been seeing the sights of Washington. He said: "One of the first membaws I encountawed, yer knaw, was a—aw—congressman from Texas, named—aw—named Miles Crowley. This Crowley, yer knaw, aw—is a chawming fellow, but I didn't quite—aw—gwasp some of his—aw—his metapbaw. When I—aw—awsked him what the average numbaw of—aw—people killed per day in Texas, numbaw negroes lynched, numbaw white men shot for cheating at cawds, do you know what he actually said? 'Why,' said Crowley, 'that depends upon the numbaw of Queen Vic's subjects there aw in Texas. Numbaw varies each day. Going and coming all the time. Now, you, faw instance, wouldn't last 15 minutes in Texas, unless you switched yaw dollect, got yaw hair cut, and blow that bum looking roof yaw wearing.'

"The ideaw! Switching dollect and blowing roof! I awsked him to explain, you knaw, and he told me that I would have to have laparotomy performed on my head before I saw a jawke or a gag, dawnt yer know. Pawsitively, yer knaw, Congressman Crowley is simply—aw—simply excruciating, yer knaw—aw. Crowley, I was told, yer knaw—aw—was quite a fightaw in Texas, and I awsked him about it.

"'Yes, quite wight, yer knaw,' said Crowley. 'Dawn in our country our motto is, "The shooting iron is mightiaw than the sword, and the boxing glove is mightiaw than the pen—aw." It was till Governaw Calhawsoon gave the Cawbett and Fitz the fwappe, yer knaw.'"

"Confound such metaphaw. What does fwappe mean? I neveaw will learn this Amewican slang, yer knaw, aw.

"'Look heaw, Iwing,' said Crowley—he flattawed me by comparing me to the governaw, Sir 'Eury—'you didn't know I came from Bawston, good old Irish Bawston stock I was bawn under the shadow of Bawston Hill monument, but I got the hot foot, yer knaw. Screwed my nut, yer knaw.'

"Such expwessions, aw, as 'screw my nut' and 'got the hot foot' were confounded cleaveaw, I suppose, but blow me if I could compwehend them, yer knaw, aw

"Then, yer knaw, I awsked Mr. Crowley about his early days at school in Bawston, and he astonished me by telling me aw 'ow he went through Hawvawd, aw. 'Ow I happened to go through Hawvawd, yer knaw, was like this. A friend of the family, yer knaw, was janitaw of the college, and he took me through.'

"Some of Crowley's friends were standing about, yer knaw, and bloime me if they all didn't give me an awful lawf, yer knaw, aw. Oi couldn't see exactly whaw the lawf came in. We went into a pub neaw the theataw, and Mr. Crowley recommended some 'awf and 'awf. The 'awf and 'awf was tip top, yer knaw, and I awsked the bawtendaw if it was imported.

"'It's from Jersey—Newark, New Jersey,' said the bawtendaw.

"'Then it's imported if it's from New Jersey,' said Mr. Crowley, and they all lawfed again, though I couldn't see where the lawf came in, yer knaw—aw. But Congressman Crowley is a mome of infawmation, and it was from him, yer knaw, that I faound whol it is that Cleveland issued his Venezuelaw papaw. Cleveland is kind of a spawt in his woi, and he loikes to see spawting people enjoy themselves. By favawing Venezuelaw he can get all he wants, yer knaw, from Cwespo. And what he wants, yer knaw, is for Cwespo to pawss a bill permitting pwize foighting. This will give the foighters, yer 'knaw, a chawnce to pull off a mill, and the politicians of the Stoites can no longer make political capital aout of the foighters. Every spawt in the Stoites will give Grover his suppawt if the Venezuelaw question is decided in faraw of Amerieaw, said Mr. Crowley, yer knaw!

"When I told Congressman Harry Minaw, whom I knaw, yer knaw, in a theatrical woi, what Mr. Crowley had impawted to me, what do you suppawse Minaw said?

"He lawfed hawtily, and said 'as 'ow Crowley had been a-joshing of me.

"Now, bloime me, what does 'joshing mean, yer knaw—aw?"—Washington Post.

Youthful Ambition.

"You intend to be something better than a bootblack some day, my boy, don't you?" said the benignant old gentleman.

"You bet!" answered the gamin.

"That's the right way to talk. At the same time, my boy, never be ashamed of your calling. One of the greatest lawyers the west ever turned out began life as a bootblack."

"That's all right," rejoined the dirty faced boy, polishing away. "But I'm goin to be a bank clerk. That's what Jim Corbett wuz."—Chicago Tribune.

His Sacrifice.

Mrs. Youngwyf—Is your husband going to give up anything for you this year?

Mrs. Leightley Wedd—I guess so. Last year he gave up about $3,000 for me.—New York World.

Would Rather Run the Risk.

Mrs. Corntossel had been thoughtfully gazing at the ceiling while the daily paper lay in her lap.

"Hiram," she said, "hev ye seen this new woman's Bible they're talkin 'bout?"

"No. I hain't laid eyes on to it yet. D'ye think it's any better'n the old un we're used to?"

"I d'no. Ye might git one an jedge fer yerself."

"No, Hiram. I won't do anything of the kind. I try not to be behind the times even ef we do live in the country. I don't begrudge what the daily papers cost an I'm glad ter hear the steam engine toot an the 'lectric car buzz, 'cause I know thet it means progress. I'm convinced thet the republican form of gov'ment is a eternal success an I mus' say thet I've got a strong suspicion thet a woman ez is taxable under the law orter hev a vote ef she wants it. I wanter be right up ter date Hiram, but when it comes ter tryin ter put modern improvements on the Scriptures I declare I'd rather take my chances, Hiram, on bein a back number."—Washington Star.

A Story of Lincoln.

President Lincoln reached Meade station, near Petersburg, soon after a serious battle, in which about 2,000 Confederates were made prisoners. General Meade was on the president's left and Colonel George D. Ruggles on his right. On their way to headquarters they rode to a point where they could see the large assemblage of prisoners. With the prisoners were many colored servants and laborers.

"Mr. Lincoln," said General Meade, "I guess Ruggles did not overestimate the number of men captured."

Mr. Lincoln checked his horse, deliberately surveyed the field full of Gordon's disarmed men and the contrabands and said, "Yes, general, the number is there in black and white."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Masculine Conceit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fogg were having almost a quarrel over their youthful son, who had not been conducting himself in a way to please his mother.

"I don't care," Mrs. Fogg exclaimed, "Henry is just like you. Even a stranger could tell in a minute that he was your son."

"Sh, Hannah," Mr. Fogg broke in. "Don't say such things in his presence. You'll make the little chap as vain as a peacock."—Boston Transcript.

Not Up on American Politics.

Rutherford B. Hayes was an occasional visitor to New York after he had moved out of the White House, but unlike ex-President Harrison he was not averse to being interviewed on subjects that were not political. One of the New York papers on the occasion of his last visit to this city sent a young Englishman, who had recently joined the staff, up to the Fifth Avenue hotel with instructions to interview Mr. Hayes on the subject of chickens. Mr. Hayes received his visitor and chatted with him for half an hour on various subjects, and among other things he assured his interviewer, laughingly, that he had gone into chicken raising as a business. When the Englishman arose to go, he said:

"By the way, Mr. Hayes, I want my report to be accurate, and would you mind telling of what you were once president?"

"Of the United States, sir!" replied Mr. Hayes, and when the Englishman arrived at his office he told the city editor that Mr. Hayes was a great wag.—New York Sun.

Its Strange Story.

"That's a queer looking watch," observed the man whose collar button showed above his necktie.

"It's a queer watch," replied the man in the mackintosh, replacing it in his pocket. "It has a history."

"Family heirloom perhaps," suggested the man who had his feet on the table. "Last member of the family that had it was your uncle, who had previously let you have a dollar and a half"—

"It never was out of my possession," resumed the man in the mackintosh, with a glance of disdain at the last speaker, "except once, and there wasn't any money borrowed on it that time."

"Footpad took it away from you, looked at it, and handed it back," ventured the man with the slouch hat.

"Traded it to somebody for a yellow dog and the other fellow returned it and told you to keep the dog," hazarded the man with the soiled cuffs.

"This watch," said the man in the mackintosh, "has been my constant companion for many years. One night in 1893 I went to sit up with a sick friend. I was instructed to give him his medicine at intervals of two hours. Once during the night I lay down on a lounge and dozed. I wasn't asleep over two minutes, and yet when I waked up my watch was gone. I looked at the sick man. To all appearance he hadn't moved. There was nothing to indicate that anybody had entered the room, and I was sure nobody could have come in without waking me, anyhow. It was a mystery, but there was nothing I could do or say. I had fallen asleep at my post and had no right to kick. Well, that man got well. Afterward he concluded to move away from town. He sold his household goods at auction. To help him out I bought part of them myself. Among the traps was that lounge. One day I got tired of seeing it about the house. I broke it up for kindling. When I knocked the back of it off this watch fell out. It had slipped out of my pocket the night I lay down on it and took that little nap. That watch, gentlemen, was still going."

"How long had it been lost?" asked the man with the bright green necktie.

"About six months. I told you, gentlemen, the watch had a history. That's the history."

Then somebody exclaimed in a tone of deep disgust that he hated a liar, and the audience slowly filed out.—Chicago Tribune.

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First Ditto—It is just as I tell you, though. He is a pawnbroker, you see.—Centralblatt fur Radsport.

A Natural Inquiry.

"Chimmy," said a curbstone cherub, "what's de equator?"

"Don't you know? I learnt it in wan lesson at night school. De equator is an imaginary line around de earth."

"Who put it dere? Great Britain?"—Washington Star.

An Object For Charity.

"Well, of all the impudence—asking me to help you because you have three wives to support!"

"They don't belong to me, mister, nothin of the sort. They belong to me son-in-laws."—Indianapolis Journal.

Not In His Line.

Miss Harmony—Do you play Offenbach?

Chris Anthemum (promptly)—No, not often. I have played half back twice, out I generally rush.—New York World.

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2 qt. Milk pans	18
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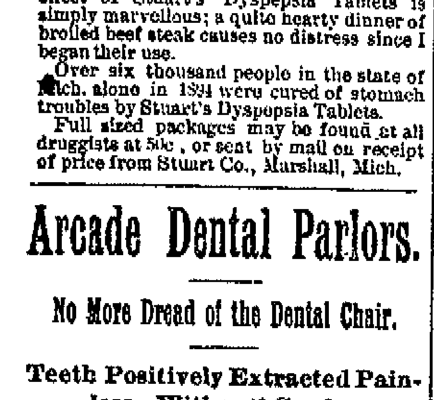

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RAILWAYS AND SHOPS.

Wonderful Earnings of a Prussian Railroad.

The Panhandle Sued by a Former Brakeman—Personal and Local Gossip Heard at the Shops.

The Associated Press sends out the following dispatch from Washington today: "A strong argument for government ownership of railways is contained in a report to the state department by United States Commercial Agent Moore at Weimar upon the Prussian railroad system. He shows that last year the gross receipts from these railways was $244 467,175, or more than half of the entire revenues of the state The net earnings deducting $53,240,600 interest on working capital and sinking fund, were $51,051,000 which will be turned into the treasury for the use of the state. This sum is larger than the income derived from taxes of all kinds.

BRIEF MENTION.

A. M. Smith is a new brakeman on the Nickel Plate.

Wallace Kendall, of the electric works, who has been very ill for a week, is reported better today.

H. B. Crawford, of the winding room at the electric works, is off duty on account of private business.

The extention of time for the equipment of freight cars with safety appliances expired on Saturday.

Willard Knight has returned from Ohio, where he had been on business for the Electric corporation.

William Zimmerman went to Lafayette this morning to caulk the flues of Wabash engine 61, which had sprung a leak.

Engine 132, recently repaired in the Pittsburg shops, was sent to the Toledo division of the Pennsylvania system this morning.

The Illinois Car Service association now includes twenty-six roads and looks after demurrage charges at fifty-five cities and towns in the state.

Fred Lindeman, of the Pittsburg round house, is harboring a fine St. Barnard dog which has evidently strayed from its owner's premises.

Last week's shipments out of Chicago aggregated 71,070 tons, compared with 80,089 tons for the previous week and 49 738 tons for the corresponding week last year.

L. S. Coffin, of Iowa, president of the home for aged and disabled railroad men, on Sunday addressed several hundred men at a meeting at Columbus, Ohio.

East bound business out of St. Louis is said to be the lightest of any time in years, only eighty to a hundred loaded cars being forwarded from St. Louis proper per day.

J. L. Harris, for years general live stock agent of the Wabash, has been appointed general live stock agent in Texas of the Chicago Union Stock Yards and Transit company.

The Electric corporation is making some addition to a lighting plant in the city of Alexandria, La. This morning the company sent a 1,000 light Wood alternating machine to that city.

Charles Buuck, who was married last evening, resumed his work in the Pittsburg paint shop this morning. He did not forget to bring cigars and distribute them among the shopmen.

Thomas Williams and Casper Lehmkuler are sick and Charles Rice, William Byerly, A. Rost, Frank Girard, Tony Gerard, M. Feuchter, C. Schneider, John P. Schmidt, E McLaughlin, L. P. Kelley and Michael Deuters are out on account of lack of work. All are employes of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

Philip C. Wortman, of Islin, N. J., is the guest of his uncle, P. G. Tigar, of 69 Cass street. Mr. Wortman is the Pennsylvania company's station agent at Islin, and his health being poor, the company gave him a three months' vacation to recuperate. He will spend a good portion of the time in this state with relatives.

The absentee list at the Pittsburg lumber yards is a sort of combination of a barometer and thermometer. When it is unusually large the clerks know that the weather is inclement—either too cold or too wet. The list was larger than usual this morning, due to zero weather. Besides the list of sick men employed therein, the names of Messrs. Bowers, Bender, Pageler, Gephardt and Buckley appear on the list.

Alfred E. Gibson has filed a suit in the Cass circuit court, demanding $10 000 from the Panhandle road for injuries sustained in a collision of trains on that road last January. Gibson was a member of a work train crew and the train collided with a freight train at Marion, throwing him down an embankment a distance of fifty feet. He received injuries about the back, spine and other parts of the body, which have incapacitated him from work. He claims the accident was due to the negligence of the company through its employes.

Indianapolis Journal: "Local passenger circles are a good deal disturbed that the Lake Erie and Western, in connection with the Nickel Plate, on Sunday took two theatrical troups from this city for the east. The arbitrary action of the passenger officials at their recent meeting in Chicago will, without doubt, be of benefit to lines not in the association; however, General Passenger Agent Daly claims to have carried these troupes at full rates."

Pittsburg Engineer Timothy McCarthy and Engineer Denny McCarthy, of the Nickel Plate, went to Logansport this morning to attend the funeral of a relative.

Engine 66, from the Pennsylvania's Chicago suburban service, came down here for repairs yesterday. Engine 168 was turned out of the shop today, after general repairs

Pittsburg Fireman George Ek received information this morning, which took him up to Chicago. His brother, Ed, is lying at the point of death with lung trouble, in that city.

SEEKING LOW RAILWAY RATES.

As no railroad rate has been given for the bi-ennial encampment of the Knights of Pythias, the supreme chancellor issued a call today for a meeting of the supreme officers at Cincinnati on the 22d to consider the situation and either call off the encampment or fix upon a place to which satistactory rates can be obtained.

PIG IRON MARKET DULL.

The Industrial World of February 20 will say: "The week has been a quiet one in pig iron, for while there continues a good inquiry from car builders, implement makers and others for round lots, the actual sales were comparatively light, the largest contract placed being 1,000 tons at the basis of $12 for No. 2 coke foundry. Excepting structural material, the finished iron and steel market was quiet. Upwards of 4,000 tons of building, skeleton steel construction work and bridge plates were contracted, mostly secured by eastern mills. Some 800 tons of old car wheels were sold at $13.75. General prospects are encouraging"

BALTIMORE AND OHIO CHANGES.

THE SENTINEL is in receipt of the following dispatch from Baltimore: "The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad company was held today. A letter was received from William F. Brune, announcing that owing to the failing condition of his health he resigned as a director. Mr. Wm. F. Frick, in moving the acceptance of the resignation of Mr. Wm. F. Burns as a director, paid a high tribute to the long, earnest and valuable services to the company of the gentleman. Mr. Burns repeatedly acted as president pro tem of the company. Mr. George C. Jenkins was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. No action was taken relative to the formation of the Baltimore and Ohio Northwestern system out of the lines running from Pittsburg to Chicago controlled by the Baltimore and Ohio. Action on the proposed collateral trust loan was also deferred. The loan has already been authorized and the negotiations are being conducted by Major Alexander Shaw, chairman of the finance committee. Gen. Orland Smith tendered his resignation as first vice president and Mr. Oscar G. Murray, upon the nomination of President Cowen, was unanimously confirmed as first vice president of the company. General Smith's time being almost exclusively occupied as a member of the board of managers of the joint traffic association at New York, remains as the representative of the Baltimore and Ohio company on that board, and holds also the presidency of several of its important subsidiary lines."

The Same Old Canard.

"Dear me," said Maude, "there has been a dreadful lot of talk in the financial articles about a gold ring. What do you suppose they are driving at?"

"Oh, I don't know," replied Mamie, in a weary tone. "I guess it's just some more of this silly joking about engagements."—Washington Star.

More Than Enough.

She—Ethel Passee had such a queer experience yesterday afternoon, about dark, going home from the Browning class. A man rushed out of an alley behind her, kissed her—just once—and fled!

He—I should think he would!—New York Tribune.

The Seasons Change.

"You told me that this was a good warm flat!" exclaimed the tenant angrily.

"I did," admitted the agent, "but you will recall that it was summer when I told you that. It was true then."—Chicago Post.

More Than Necessary.

"Has she any proof of his love?"

"He lets her brother ride his bicycle."—New York Herald.

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One day as I lounged into Central park at the Seventh avenue entrance an old man sitting on a bench beckoned me to approach. I saw at once that he was a stranger in Gotham, and as I looked upon him I could scent the new mown hay of the country meadow and hear the dinner horn blowing at the kitchen door at high noon.

"My dear young friend," he began as I sat down beside him, "I trust that you are walking in the straight and narrow path of virtue and integrity while surrounded by the temptations of a great city?"

I replied that his trust was well founded, and he continued:

"I have been in New York for a week, and it has made my heart ache to behold the sin and wickedness on every hand. I hope you are proof against the seductive influences of wine and cards and the theater?"

I humbly answered him that I never drank anything stronger than root beer, and not having a deadhead pass I never showed up at the theater. As for cards, I simply knew the ten of diamonds from the ace of spades.

"That is good!" he said as he laid his hand on my shoulder. "May I further trust that you do not attend horse races, dog fights and boxing matches?"

I solemnly assured him that he could trust, and he took my hand in his and feelingly exclaimed:

"I thank heaven that I have found one good and pure hearted man in this terribly wicked city! Had I not met you I should have gone home believing there was no exception. I am an old man, as you see, and I am simple in my ways. The other day I encountered a fellow being in distress and bought this gold watch of him to help him out. It is a bauble I do not wish to carry about or take home. They tell me it is worth more than what I gave, but I would let it go at the same price."

He took from his upper vest pocket a gold watch in a chamois skin cover and held it out to me.

"It's funny how things come about," isn't it?" I asked as I waved the watch away.

"How?"

"Why, I'm in the same line myself and was going to play you for a sucker on a glass diamond pin. Shake! How's biz with you? If you are new to the town, I can put you on to those watches at $50 a dozen. I worked two off last week at $75 each, but I can do better with the diamond racket. Let's find a quiet place and have a long talk!"

"Sir," said the man as he rose up and confronted me and restored the fake ticker to its pocket. "Sir, you are something of a liar and a good deal of a scoundrel, and I don't want anything to do with you! Good day, sir!"

And he turned and walked out of the park and up Fifty-ninth street, and I looked after him in such sorrow that the policeman on duty at the entrance took it for a case of colic and advised me to put in plenty of Jamaica ginger and not follow it with too much water.—Detroit Free Press.

Mr. Jefferson's Limitations.

The amusing ignorance of some people whose lives are spent away from cities in regard to the duties of an actor can be illustrated by one little incident told by Joseph Jefferson, which occurred while he was living on his plantation in Louisiana.

"I had been out duck shooting," said Mr. Jefferson, "and was being paddled slowly along the bayou in a canoe by my man Friday, a colored boy about 18 years old. 'Mr. Jos will you be mad if I ax you somefin?' said John, the colored lad referred to.

"'No, John. What is it?' said I.

"'What does you do in a show?'

"I told him it would be rather difficult for me to explain what my particular line of business was.

"'Well,' said John, 'does you swallow knives?'

"I told him I had no talent in that way.

"'Well, your son told me that you swallowed knives and forks and fire, and de Lord knows what all, and I believe he was just foolin me.'

"I agreed with him, saying he was quite capable of it.

"'Well, dere's one thing certain,' said John. 'You don't act in the circus.'

"I asked him how he could be sure of that. John burst into an immoderate fit of laughter, almost tipping the canoe over in his violent mirth.

"'Oh, no, oh, no, sah! You can't fool me on dat. I've seen you get on your horse. You ain't no circus rider.'"—Grand Rapids Herald.

"Hamlet" Up to Date.

The following synopsis of "Hamlet" is used in the playbills by a company now touring the country. It causes "Hamlet" to read like an old time melodrama. The final line is not based on the play:

SYNOPSIS.

Act 1.—Elsinore. The palace. The platform before the castle. The appearance of the ghost of Hamlet's father, by whom is related his "strange and unnatural murder."

Act 2.—The feigning of madness. Hamlet arranges with the players to play before the usurping king (his uncle) a scene resembling the murder of his father. "The play's the thing wherein I'll catch the conscience of the king."

Act 3.—The plotting of the king and Polonius to test Hamlet's sanity. Hamlet's grief at Ophelia's complicity therein. The play scene. The king's guilt made clear. "I take the ghost's word for a thousand pounds." Hamlet and his mother. The slaying of Polonius. "I must be cruel only to be kind. Thus bad begins and worse remains behind."

Act 4.—Ophelia driven insane over Hamlet's demeanor and the slaying of her father. "I have a speech of fire which fain would blaze, but this folly drowns it."

Act 5.—The gravediggers. The burial of Ophelia. Hamlet and Laertes slay each other. The poisoning of the queen. Hamlet avenges his father's and mother's death. "Here, thou murd'rous, damned Dane, follow my mother." The death of Hamlet. "The potent poison quite o'ercrows my spirit. The rest is silence." Good night, sweet prince, and flights of angels sing thee to thy rest.

Gentlemen will not spit tobacco juice on the floor, and hogs will not be permitted to.

—Chicago Record.

FABLES DOWN TO DATE.

The Fox and the Farmer.

One day the fox approached the farmer, who was working in his field, and after saluting him with a great show of heartiness and friendship observed:

"I have called to have a talk with you on certain matters. For many moons I have been pained at your want of confidence in me. Why is it that you distrust me?"

"You have broken into my coop and eaten my chickens," replied the farmer.

"Yes, but that was long ago, before I realized the error of my ways. Know ye, O farmer, that my feelings have undergone a change and that I now fully realize how wicked it was in me to eat your chickens."

"So you don't keer fur chickens any more?"

"Not a rap, and I wish you to take me back into your confidence and trust me. I will even mount guard over your coop and keep the weasel and the polecat away."

"That's powerful good of you," said the farmer as he leaned on his spade and wiped the sweat from his brow. "Sure you have reformed, eh?"

"Quite sure."

"And you want me to trust you?"

"I do. I want to show you that I am worthy of your full confidence."

"Waal, I'm allus willin to extend a hand to a feller who is tryin to climb up, and you kin cum along with me."

"Thanks, dreadfully!" replied the fox as he chuckled behind the farmer's back and followed him to the coop.

Upon their arrival there, however, the fox found the coop empty of fowls, and in an indignant voice he demanded:

"How now, sirrah! I was to stand guard over your fowls, but I find none here!"

"Oh, as to that," replied Uncle Reuben, "I sold the whole outfit to a peddler yesterday, but you can remain by the empty coop and inform the weasel and the polecat that"—

"You go to grass, you old mossback!" interrupted the fox as he made a bolt for the woods.

Moral.—"Well, I kinder thought so!" said the farmer as he looked after the fleeing Reynard. "I hev allus noticed that when a bad man sets out to reform he is figgerin on gittin a softer snap than what he had before!"—Detroit Free Press.

The Travelers and the Sea Serpent.

Some travelers, journeying along the seashore after the season had closed, climbed to the summit of a high cliff when the town constable wasn't looking and thence looked over the sea. "Aha!" said one of the travelers. "What do mine eyes behold?" One of the other travelers laughed and remarked, "They are liable to behold any old thing if you hit much of this left over from last summer benzine that we purchased at the drug store yonder this morning." Then they all looked out to sea and beheld a marine monster wriggling through the misty deep. "Give me your glass," said one, "that I may study this sea serpent's peculiarities." The other replied: "I have no glass. You'll have to drink from the bottle." Then they looked through their bottles, and, behold! the monster was 700 feet long, with immense horns and great, rude, staring eyes. The next day the newspapers printed its picture.

Moral.—Avoid being a sea serpent if you wish to keep your picture out of the Sunday publications.—Truth.

SOCRATES.

He Arrives Home From a Seven Days' Journey In Syracuse.

Socrates slid somewhat hesitatingly into the room and began taking off his sandals.

"Oh!" remarked Xantippe, and she held on to the word for quite a spell, till it appeared to consist of several syllables, each with a falling inflection.

"Oh!" she repeated, and this time she emphasized all the syllables at once, and gritted her teeth.

For Socrates, so the local paper said, had been up to Syracuse for a season to dispose of county rights in some of his new styles of philosophy, but it was generally known among the boys that he'd been taking in the football games, and a high old time he'd had of it.

"M'love," he said in a mollifying tone, while he worked off a sandal and laid it carefully on the plush covered album, "it—it sall ri'!"

"I know it's all rye," retorted Xantippe with grim humor, "and a trifle too much of it, with you off cutting up and me at home here tending four stoves all alone. Go lug me up a hod of coal."

Socrates had summoned his philosophy to endure whatever might come forth by way of temper, but at the mention of coal his haughty spirit rebelled. He drew himself up proudly and the effort sobered him.

In story books it seems an easy thing for a man to get sober.

"Xantippe," he said, speaking in the purest of Greek grammar, "is thy husband a dog that he should do this thing? Nay, but by my striped toga I will not. I am not strong enough."

"Not strong enough?" echoed Xantippe in a rising note that ended in a shriek. "Not strong enough?"

"No," rejoined the old man loudly. "Have I not but just returned from a seven days' sojourn in Syracuse?"

"Ye-es—oh, ye-es," assented Xantippe, tapping her heels and giving forth a hysterical scream to notify the neighbors that something worth while was impending.

Socrates wiped off his chin with a gesture of bold defiance.

"Well, then," he concluded in a tone of dignified triumph, "that settles it, for it is a well known proposition, long since laid down and embellished by the ancient Jews, that seven days make one weak. Lug up the coal yourself."

And with that, children, Socrates got into bed without even the formality of removing his other sandal.—New York Recorder.

Wanted a Change.

The two small boys who wanted to fight Indians had gone some distance from home. The romance had dwindled, and a discouragement which neither liked to confess had taken possession.

"Look here," said one of them at last. "I've been playin I'm Sierra Sam for two days now, haven't I?"

"Yes," was the reply.

"Well, I'm kind o' tired o' that game. I think I'll play I'm the prodigal son."—Washington Star.

Her Little Hand.

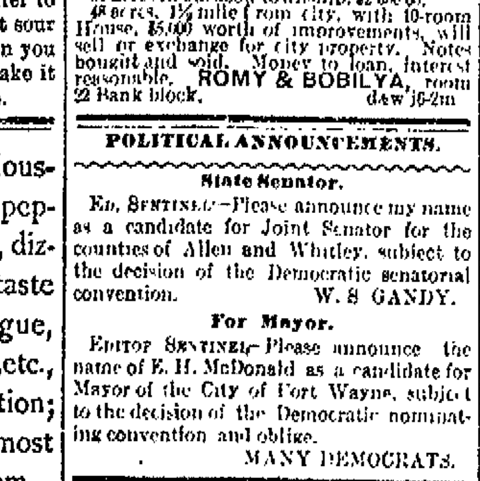
"Polly, is it true that young Spooney held your hand two hours last evening?"

"Yes, papa."

"Have you no idea of propriety?"

"It was my hand at whist. He played for me."—Detroit Free Press.

Very, Very "Wake."



Mike O'Flannigan—Well, how be's ye this marnin, Pat?

Pat McCarthy—Sure, I'm that wake that ye'll be comin to me wake before the end o' the wake.—Truth.

THE DRUMMER GOT AWAY.

By So Doing He Escaped Well Merited Punishment.

There were eight of us smoking our after supper cigars on the hotel veranda when a small man with a great deal of bustle and energy in his movements came out of the hotel office and called out in a general way:

"Gentlemen, is there a general out there?"

"I am a general, sir," replied one of the group as he half rose and bowed.

"Yes—ah!—glad to see you, general," continued the little man as he advanced and shook hands. "Now, then, have we any colonels present?"

"I am a colonel," replied three men in chorus as they followed the general's example.

"Ha! Glad to see you, colonels, very glad," said the little man as he extended a hand to each in succession. "Let's see. Have we a judge among us here this evening?"

"We have," replied two of the four others.

"So glad to see you, judges, so glad. Shake hands. Beautiful evening this. I presume you other two gentlemen breathe respective titles of major and professor?"

"We do," said the pair of us.

"Ah, glad to know it, awfully glad. Major and professor, shake hands, shake hands. Might have a little more rain, but we can't find much fault with this weather."

"And who are you, if you please?" asked the general.

"I? Oh, I'm only an ex-governor, an ex-cabinet officer, an ex-congressman and at present raising $6,000,000 to put another railroad bridge across the Missouri river. Keep your seats, gentlemen. I wouldn't think of intruding my company on such a distinguished assembly."

Next day when we found out that he was only a drummer for a Cincinnati shoe factory he had departed, and we couldn't give him the licking he deserved.—Detroit Free Press.

They Were Too Late.

The belated wayfarer was standing in the shadow of a building with both hands pointing heavenward while he gazed into the muzzle of a revolver. One footpad was holding the revolver where it would do the most good in case of an emergency and the other was going through the victim's pockets. The silence was so oppressive that the belated wayfarer finally felt obliged to speak.

"Think you are smart, don't you?" he said.

"We know our business," returned one of the footpads gruffly.

"Of course you do," said the belated wayfarer with something like a sneer. "You know that this is my pay day, I suppose?"

"Sure," replied the footpad. "That's why we laid for you."

"He ain't got but 65 cents, Bill," interrupted the one who had been searching the victim's pockets.

"Wot!" cried the other.

"That's right," said the belated wayfarer cheerfully.

"But you was paid today," insisted the man with the revolver.

"Right again," admitted the belated wayfarer in the same cheerful tone. "But somebody got in ahead of you, and you thought you were so all fired smart that I'll be hanged if I'm not glad of it."

"Somebody got your roll?"

"Yep."

"Who?"

"My wife came to the office after it this afternoon. Oh, you've got to get up mighty early to beat her."—Chicago Post.

Not a Fair Division.

"Mean man," said the man in the big ulster, with a nod in the direction of an old fellow with a fur cap.

"I don't know him," replied the man with plush car ovens.

"Lives next to me," explained the man in the big ulster. "He's a confidence man."

"Really!"

"Sure thing. Why, since I have been given a little insight into his character I always lock up the silver when I see him come home from work."

"Is he really as bad as that?"

"Worse."

"How did you find him out?"

"Well, he made a proposition that we should make a little pool on the walk cleaning problem. He was to keep the walks in front of both houses cleaned half the time and I was to keep them cleaned the other half."

"That certainly seems fair."

"That's what I thought; so we closed the deal. But when it came to arranging the periods during which each should do the work, he claimed to be entitled to first choice and I gave it to him."

"Well?"

"Well, he announced that he would undertake to keep them clean during the summer half of each year."—Chicago Post.

A Question of Legs.

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"Only three legs!" repeated the perturbed landlady in an injured tone. "Well, great goodness, that's two more'n you've got!"—London Tit-Bits.

The Contradiction.

Englishman—What will you take?

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Englishman—Contradiction! What on earth do you mean?

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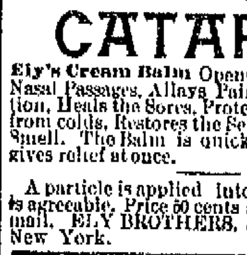

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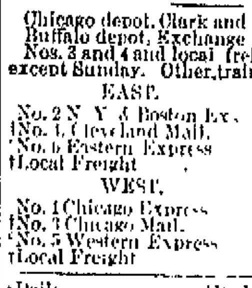

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Findlay		4 15 am 25 80 pm	9 47 am
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Cloverdale	9 06 am	5 19 pm	12 35 pm
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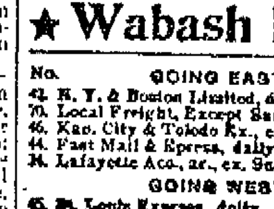

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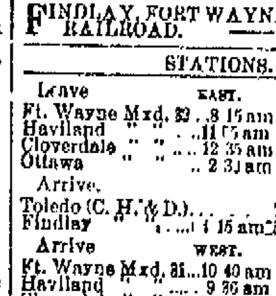

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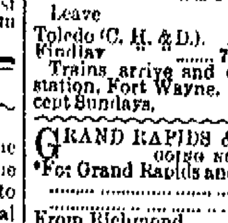

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40 inch, 75c and 85c.
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We're not forcing summer—just getting you ready when it comes You'll not see such Dimities as these then, so you want to pick them out now.

25c Dimities now—were 37 to 50c a year ago, and the styles not near so handsome

15c Dimities—were 25c a year ago, with no such styles in sight.

Then there are lines of beauties at 12½, 10 and 8½c You will find these at the White Goods section

Men's Good Shirts. Good in every sense of the word. The cheap ones good, the best ones made as good as a shirt can be made All made of good Muslins All have Linen Bosoms All have the late improvements to strengthen the parts needed.

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Shirred Ginghams A new wrinkle and a new crinkle—8 solid cases come in yesterday, and 8 cases are going to move out soon They're too pretty and too good to stay long with us—price 8½c a yard at the Gingham counter Splendid apron check ginghams at 5 and 6½c.

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At 8½c there's one worth you're looking after

Outings at 5c, 6c and 7c.

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You want them for the boy—and the man and some for dresses. A nice line of 10c ones, 32 inches wide, price 8½c

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An elegant line of new patterns at 15c

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On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

You can depend upon Edmunds & Law. 1tf

Huntington Democrat: "Henry Woenker has returned home to Fort Wayne after spending Sunday here, the guest of a very dear friend and a brother"

Bluffton News "Miss Vic Stone, of Fort Wayne and Miss Cora Fowler, of Mt Vernon, Ohio, are guests of N. K Todd and wife"

OUR ANNUAL MID-WINTER PANT SALE

That is so anxiously looked forward to by the majority of the people in Fort Wayne and vacinity is now in full blast, and we are confident that this is the greatest

Special Pantaloon Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We have never been able to quote such low prices nor give you such a large and desirable selection of styles and fabrics.

$1.48

For Men's wool Pants in Cassimeres and Cheviots, that are worth from $2 00 to $2 50

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For Men's all wool Pants in Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds, that sell the world over at $3 00 and $3 50; we have all sizes of each pattern.

$2.48

For Men's all wool Pants in fancy worsteds, black cheviots and cassimeres in elegant patterns and finely made. These would be cheap at $3.50 and $4 00.

$2.98

For Men's fine Pants in all fabrics and styles, that are worth $4 00 and $4.50 of anyones money.

$3.48

For Men's finest worsted and cassimere Pants, worth $4 50, $5 and $6. See window display.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel
WEDNESDAY, FEB 19 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office..... .. No. 173.
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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb 19—For Indiana Fair tonight and Thursday warmer in northern portion tonight warmer Thursday, northwest winds

NEWS NOTES.

S F Bowser, of the Oil Tank works has gone to St Louis

The D T's will meet with Miss McCracken Friday afternoon

Mrs John Fundenberger entertained with a pedro party last evening

W L. Carnahan, of 119 East Wayne street, has returned from a trip to New York

Miss Mattie Bitner, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs Edward Major.

The Misses Rurode were charming hostesses for a progressive pedro last evening.

The Nineteenth Century club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Bessie Lincoln.

On account of sickness Mrs Carey, of No 46 Erie street, will not entertain the K F club on Thursday

The Bethany Christian Endeavorers will give an entertainment and social at the parlors of the new church.

D C Fisher left this morning for St. Louis and Memphis on a trip which will combine business and pleasure

The Fort Wayne Curling club is playing a game at Centlivre's this afternoon. This is the annual point game

Mrs O L Lynn and son, of Homer, Mich, are visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. D Curry, of South Harrison street.

Miss Eva R Nelson gave a small card company yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Roger Butterfield, of Grand Rapids

The Luther league will give a social and musical entertainment at Trinity English Lutheran church next Friday evening

Columbia City Post "George D Crane of Fort Wayne, is in the city transacting business relating to a large tract of land in this county."

The Current Topic club met last night in the rooms at the Fort Wayne Business college. The committees reporting were political and congressional news, foreign and local affairs

The presidential reception to be given by the Epworth league of Berry street M E church Friday evening will be an interesting and novel event.

Hive No 27, Ladies of the Maccabees, will give a social at the home of Mrs Charles Flynn, No 11 Cass street, this evening. Supper 10 cents. A literary program will be carried out.

Dr S J Derbyshire, of Warren, is visiting his wife, Mrs Luella Derbyshire, at 30 West Superior street The doctor is attending the sessions of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical association.

Miss Josephine Carter, of Maple avenue entertained the Y. P. S C E of the Christian church last evening. The amusements were of a literary nature and very entertaining as well as instructive

Mrs Frank Gruber, whose serious accident was mentioned in THE SENTINEL was suffering last evening from a high fever Today however, she was better a fact her many friends will be pleased to learn.

At the meeting of the Afternoon Pedro club with Mrs Learmonth yesterday, Mrs G A Rabus won the first prize, Miss MacDougall the second, Mrs Edward White the consolation and Mrs. Catherine Hecker the booby

On account of conflicting meetings previously arranged for the same date, the literary entertainment which was announced for next Friday evening at the Wayne street M. E church by the Epworth league has been postponed for one week from that time

Charlie Kane will visit the dog show at Chicago next month Charlie owns a wire haired fox terrier, "George E" which he will enter for a premium at the show This dog is one of the finest bred dogs in America, his pedigree leading to the most noted dog families of Europe He was brought from Europe by Buffalo Bill Charlie is confident of winning first premium for George E

St Patrick's church was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, when Miss Jennie Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs William Scott of East Butler street was married to Mr David O Rourke The bride was attended by Miss Katherine McDonald, of Montreal, Canada, and Mr Will Donald, of Jamestown, N. Y, was best man Mr and Mrs O Rourke left for a wedding trip to Chicago and other western cities

Pine Apples and Malaga Grapes

Fresh shipment nice large, ripe Havana Pine Apples, 25c each
Spanish Malaga Grapes, 20c lb
Sweet Valencia Oranges, dozen, 20c
California Navel Oranges, dozen, 35c
Best Messina Lemons, dozen, 20c.
Hot House Lettuce, lb 15c

FRUIT HOUSE.

The newsboys have been invited to attend the matinee performance at the Empire theater on Saturday afternoon and have accepted

Butter, Eggs and Meats.

Best Country Roll Butter, lb, 16c
Good Jar Butter lb 9c
Fresh Country Eggs, dozen 14c
Best Hams lb, Shoulders lb 7c
Home Grown Potatoes, bushel, [illegible]
Best Michigan Potatoes bushel, [illegible]c.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Empire Theatre tonight The Madison Square success, "Hazel Kirke"

C S Stone, of Indianapolis, is in the city.

M J. Houlihan went to Indianapolis this morning.

Miss Helen Sayler has returned from a visit in Ann Arbor.

Ex-Mayor V J. Emerick, of Toledo, was in the city today on business

Mrs H. M. Cowden and daughter, of 408 Calhoun street, have gone to Crestline for a short visit

The Ladies' auxiliary of the B. R. Y M C A will meet Thursday, at 2.30 p m, at their rooms

Mrs W. P. Harter and son, of Goshen, Ind, are in the city, the guests of her parents, 202 West Washington street

Mrs. Will H Bond, who was here to attend the funeral of her brother, Wm. Grove, returned home to Chicago this morning

William Snyder has taken out a permit to build an addition to his house on lots 25 and 26, Spencer's addition, to cost $200

Landlord W. D. Jones, of the New Aveline, continues to improve His condition today is the best that it has been for several days

Captain Tyler, who was formerly teacher of penmanship in the Fort Wayne public schools, but who now resides in Rome City, is arranging to open a writing school in this city.

Mr and Mrs John T. Dougall have returned from their wedding trip. In answer to questions this morning, Mr. Dougall says that marriage is not a failure, and that those who say it is don't know.

Mrs Robert Craik, of Brookside, gave a thimble party yesterday afternoon, in honor of Misses Armstrong, of Tweswater, Ontario, who are visiting in the city. Those present were, the Mesdames Lankens, Brauer, Berghorn and the Misses Bawese

About twenty of the doctors who were in attendance at the medical society meeting yesterday went to the Aldine restaurant in a body last evening and took supper. Special tables were arranged for them

The annual masquerade ball of the Fort Wayne Saengerbund society was given last night in the hall on West Main street About 150 couples attended and participated in the grand march, which was led by Mr. John Auer and Miss Annie Fremmel.

Drs Porter, Bulson, McCaskey, Wheelock and Von Sweringen have received formal invitations to attend a banquet at the Hotel Denison, Indianapolis, on Saturday evening, Feb. 22 given in honor of Drs Senn and Hecktoen, of Chicago The invitation list includes twenty five prominent physicians from various portions of the state and it is expected that the "medics" in attendance will have a big time.

Miss Anna Rost, of Charles street entertained last evening in observance of her twenty first birthday. The guests were self invited and Miss Rost did not know of their coming until they had arrived at her home but they were none the less welcome and had a good time Weisenberger's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing and those who did not care to dance, passed the hours pleasantly in playing cards and in other amusements.

AT BETHANY.

Annual Business Meeting and Reception of Pastor and Wife.

Last evening, at Bethany Presbyterian church was held the annual business meeting of the congregation The meeting was called to order by the pastor Rev George E Davies, in the auditorium of the new church edifice.

The principal business was the election of one trustee and John W Flickinger was chosen unanimously to serve for a term of five years

Next on the program was a review of the work of the Y P S C E for the past year by the secretary of the society, Miss Dora Stover.

Miss Maud Van Tilburg read the report of the Sunday school for the year The school has 149 scholars enrolled The total attendance during the year being 5 330

Mrs John Brown, secretary of the Ladies' society, made the annual report of the work accomplished by the society

Julius H Beyerline, of the board of trustees, made the financial report of the church and showed that part of the business to be in a flattering condition.

F M Smaltz, clerk of the session, reported 140 members on the church roll nine having been received by letter and forty-five on confession of faith during the year

The pastor made a short address congratulating the members on the work done during the past year and suggesting new plans of work for the year to come

After the regular business, Rev. Davies and wife held a reception in the parlors of the church. Refreshments were served and a pleasant hour was spent in conversation.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

Official Call Issued by the District Chairman.

At a meeting, composed of the chairmen of the democratic central committees of the several counties of the Twelfth congressional district and the district committeeman, held at Fort Wayne, on the 8th day of January, 1896, it was determined that the convention for the nomination of a democratic candidate for congress, to represent the district, would be held at the opera house in the city of Kendallville, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 7TH 1896,

at 2 o'clock p m All delegates heretofore elected, or such as may be hereafter elected to said convention are requested to take notice and be present at the convention at the time and place above stated, without further notification. Democrats generally are requested to be present. The representation for the several counties is as follows, and is based upon one delegate for each one hundred and fractions of fifty votes and over cast for Claude Matthews for governor in 1892

Allen	9
DeKalb	2
Noble	2
Lagrange	1
Steuben	1
Whitley	2
Total	20

THOS. R. MARSHALL,
District Chairman.

ORGANIZATION EFFECTED

Of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical Association.

The meeting of the doctors of northeastern Indiana and northwestern Ohio which was held at the city hall yesterday, resulted in the organization of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical association. A lengthy program of papers on scientific and medical subjects was carried out as published in THE SENTINEL some time ago.

The following officers were elected by the new association

President—Dr. C. B. Stemen, Fort Wayne

First Vice President—J. K. Wood, Van Wert

Second Vice President—T. P. Williams, Angola

Secretary—Dr. G W. McCaskey, Fort Wayne.

Treasurer—Dr. M. F. Porter, Fort Wayne

Censors—Drs. J. L Gilbert, C E Slocum, J. W. Squires, A P Buchman H. A Weers.

Chairman of Executive Committee—Dr. K K Wheelock, Fort Wayne.

PRIVATE MASQUERADE

Given at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Connelly.

Mr and Mrs John M Connelly gave a very pleasant masquerade at their home on Monday evening, and among the unique characters taken were the following.

Katie Lineman as Flower Girl.
Nettie Suter as Topsy.
Mary Lautz as Fancy Dress.
Alice Hess as Sailor.
Orphia Trease as Egyptian Girl.
Maude Myers as Flower Girl.
H Tegtmeyer as Summer Girl.
Maggie Connelly as Old Fashion Girl
Mamie Connelly as Waiter.
T Tegtmeyer as night.
Lilia O'Shaughnessey as Bowery Girl.
Mamie Roeman as Night
Alice Dolan as Grandma
Maggie Connelly as American Girl.
Louis Hensel, as Wild Man from Borneo
Andrew McCarty, as American
Wm Connelly, as German Bum.
Clarence Springer, as Millionaire Sport.
Frank Hensel, as Mexican Bill.
Charles O'Shaughnessey, as Irishman.
John Connelly, as Sailor.
Jack Gatzsware, as Clown.
Georgie Connelly, as Little Clown.
Arthur Suter as American Bum
John Foivey, as New Woman
John O'Shaughnessey, as Coon.
John McCarty, as American.
Albert Suter, as Chinaman.
Richard Erickson as Uncle Sam
Albert Deibold, as Dog

Among those present were Mr and Mrs John L Trease, of Cedarville. W. Kiemsorge and Henry C. Yobst furnished the music. Supper was served at midnight

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Entertainment To Be Given at the Simpson M. E. Church.

The following is the program to be be given by the Simpson M E church, Thursday evening at 7.30 at the Washington's birthday entertainment·

Song—"America	
Invocation	
Solo	Mrs Ella Black
Sketch of Washington's Life	Alta Hines
Recitation	Myrtle Lewis
Mandolin solo	Mr. Mart Hanna
Recitation	Grace Hines
Recitation	Lizzie Arick
Vocal solo	Mr. Miller
Recitation—Baby Washington	Maude Haskell
Duet	Bertha and Maud Peckham
Recitation—Washington	Harry Hines
Piano solo	Mr. Will Killen
Recitation—Washington's Grave	Miss Clara Witters
Music	Trio Mandolin Club
Tableau—George and His Hatchet	
Music	Mandolin club
Tableau—The Washington Family	

Carpets made and laid free, during February, at Foster's

WAS HAVING A TIME.

William Fuller Touched for a Roll by a Woman.

He Had Drawn His Pension—John Hartman's Jag Lands Him in Jail.

William Fuller, of Albion, an old soldier, came to Fort Wayne a few days ago to draw his pension. After he had received his money he visited a resort on East Main street and fell in with a lot of bad females While the old man was having a hilarious good time one of the girls stole his money. Then

HE WAS ROBBED

he was made drunk and thrown out into the alley, where the police found him and took him to the county poor farm. Yesterday he related his story down town and the police now have no hopes of ever catching the naughty people who touched him for his wad

JUST A LITTLE TOOT.

John Hartman, an employe of the Grand Central hotel, took on a comfortable load of the fiery juice of the corn last night and Officer Passino locked him up to keep him from falling through some of the store windows on Calhoun street, This morning he appeared in police court and said that he had never been there before, but the mayor didn't think that made any difference, so sent him over for eleven days

CUPID'S BONDS

Unite Miss Sadie Caldwell and Mr. M. C. Baker.

This afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Dr and Mrs James Caldwell, 51 West Berry street, occurred the marriage of Miss Sadie E Caldwell and Mr M C Baker, the district passenger agent of the Nickel Plate railroad. The newly wedded couple leave at 6:25 for an eastern trip and on their return will make their home in this city. The bride is a charming young lady and has a large circle of friends in this city Mr. Baker is popular in railroad circles and holds the esteem and confidence of his company The ceremony was performed by Rev Dr Moffat, the pastor of the First Presbyterian church, in the presence of a few of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties

15 RETAIL SHOE HOUSES

Thing & Co. Run the Largest Bargain Shoe Firm in America.

All this week Ladies' first quality Pure Gum Rubbers—you pay 50c for them at any other store—Thing's this week price 23c.

Misses Pure Gum Rubbers, 14c.

One thousand other bargains at Thing's this week 32 Calhoun St

Large Red Boot.

Notice.

We contemplate remodeling the second floor of the Vordermark building, No 32 Calhoun street, into a nice hall for lodges and societies, and we intend to fit it up nice and cosy. Lodges and societies wanting a nice, comfortable home, with all conveniences, centrally located, low rent, and only one easy stairs to climb, will please call on me at 32 Calhoun street, 9 to 12 or 2 to 5 p m

19 20,22 J. W. VORDERMARK

Trampled By a Horse.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Feb. 18.—Lawrence Kestler, a merchant of Osgood, while driving on last Monday, by a sudden stop of the vehicle was thrown over the dash onto the horse's heels, seriously injuring him.

Special Sale of fine Extension Tables at Foster's this week.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Reserve seats for the second Westminster Concert, Thursday evening, are now on sale at Woodworth's drug store. Price, 10c. 18t2

Empire Theatre tonight. "Hazel Kirke" by the Lyon Comedy Company.

For Sale.

For sale a second-hand Reedy hand elevator in good condition. A. L. Johns & Co, 51 East Columbia street. 18 10t

EASY TO DYE AT HOME.

The Most Inexperienced Can Use Diamond Dyes With Success.

Simple Directions on Every Package Enable Even a Child to Get Good Colors With Diamond Dyes—Color One to Six Pounds of Goods for 10 Cents.

There are no dye stuffs on the market to compare with the Diamond in ease of use, as well as beauty and fastness of color. The most inexperienced person can dye cotton wool, silk, feathers, etc., bright and brilliant colors by following the plain directions on the Diamond Dye packages

There are thirty Diamond Dyes for silk and wool, and fourteen special colors for cotton, all of which are guaranteed to do more and better work than any other package dyes on the market They are made specially for home use, and as many of the dye-stuffs are peculiar to the Diamond, it is impossible to get them in any other way.

One ten cent package often saves the cost of a new gown, for it makes the old one look like new.

A Cage for the Bird.

Five dollars down and five dollars a month will buy a lot in Lakeside that is sure to double in price within a few years. Young man-without-a-wife, now is your time to lay the foundations for a pleasant cage to put your bird in when you catch her. Commence paying for your lot now, and by the time you are ready, the Lakeside company will help you to a loan with which to build.

To Physicians in Regular Practice

Will be sent free by mail a sample bottle of Dr. Edson's Aseptolin, the newly discovered treatment for consumption, etc, together with Dr. Edson's paper, reprinted from the New York Medical Record of February 8, 1896. Those who have patients suffering from consumption are urged to test this remedy. None but physicians can use it Address Equitable Chemical Co, 30 Reade St., New York.

Latest agony. Novelties in Delf Chairs. Foster's Court street windows.

A speciall class in plain and ornamental penmanship will be conducted at the International Business College from 4 to 5 o'clock, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons, and from 7 30 to 8 30 on Tuesday and Thursday evenings For particulars call at college office, fourth floor, Schmit block. 17,19 22

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24-25-26-27 Pixley Block, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Telephone 485.

Edmunds & Law's first figures are their last figures. 1tf

Empire Theatre tonight. "Hazel Kirke"—first time in this city at popular prices

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Wonderful bargains in Turkish, Moquette Velvet, Smyrna and Wilton Rugs at Foster's this week.

Wall Paper, 8 yards, white back, new designs, 2c a roll.

HEINE & ISRAEL,
11 eod tf 123 Broadway.

Edmunds and Law employ electricians 1tf

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c

Children's Diseases.

Nine tenths of them originate in the stomach. Senna regulates the stomach, insures perfect digestion; gives healthful, natural rest and sleep, absolutely without opium. Cures colic, costiveness, sour stomach, worm affections, restlessness, irregular appetite, colds and diarrhoea. Controls the dangers of teething, allays feverishness, prevents convulsions and gives perfect health. Sold by Freese & Banke, J. N Neufer, Gross & Pellens. Drugists—25 cents.

"A DOLLAR SHOW FOR A LIME."

EMPIRE THEATRE.
NO SHOW TONIGHT.
2 Shows Wednesday 2.
Matinee 2 30. Evening 8.15
LYONS' COMEDY CO.
—IN—
HAZEL KIRKE.
Produced with new scenery and a good cast better than what you generally pay a dollar for.
Empire Prices 10 Cents.

THE BOSTON STORE.

SPECIAL SALE BLACK DRESS GOODS This Week.

We show the largest and best selected stock of medium price Black Dress Goods in the city

36-inch All Wool Black Serge at 29c, worth 37½c
40 inch All Wool Black Serge and Henrietta at 37½c, worth 50c
46 inch All Wool Serge at 50c, worth 75c.
36-inch Black Fancy Goods at 25c.
40 inch Black Fancy Goods at 42c, worth 50c.
40-inch Black Fancy Goods at 50c, worth 75c.

We also show a large variety of new Colored Novelty Dress Goods at reduced prices this week.

New styles in Spring Ginghams, Zephyr and Percales at special low prices for this week.

New styles in Spring Prints sold at actual cost this week.

All Winter Underwear sold at actual cost to close.

Do your trading at the Boston Store and save money.

William Hahn & Co.,
THE BOSTON STORE.

An 8 Per Cent. Investment.

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The Prepaid stock issued by The Indiana Farmers Savings & Loan Association, bears a guaranteed interest of 8 per cent. per annum, payable semi annually, secured by mortgages on improved real estate. The mortgages of this Association are deposited with The Indiana Trust Company of Indianapolis, in trust, for the security of the investors, thus making the investment an ABSOLUTELY safe one.

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STARTLING STATEMENT

Made by Miss Smith, Who Knows Walling and Jackson.

Letters Written to Her Contain Damaging Evidence Against Jackson as the Murderer.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 19.—Two morning papers this morning publish a startling statement made to them by Miss May Smith, of Louisville, who is acquainted with the accused murderers, Walling and Jackson. She says she was in Cincinnati, January 14, and took supper with Jackson at Heider's restaurant. Jackson told her that his friend Will Wood, at Green Castle, Ind., had got a girl into a bad condition; that Wood was going to send the girl here and he would put her out of the way. Miss Smith says she cautioned Jackson of the danger of discovery in such an enterprise. He said he was too smart to be discovered. She said after the murder of February 1, Jackson wrote to her saying that "he had disposed of the girl (meaning, Pearl Bryan) by a ——" The long dash in the letter was left for Miss Smith to fill from her memory of the conversation at Heider's, on January 14. She says she left that letter in Louisville securely hidden. If that letter in Jackson's handwriting can be obtained it will be damaging evidence. If what she says about its hiding place is true, the letter will be here tomorrow.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 19.—Investigation in this city into the life of May Smith, who is connected with Jackson and Walling in the Pearl Bryan affair, develops the fact that she came here early in January, being employed by Brion Lister and wife in the dress cutting business. The Listers opened up an establishment here on January 4 at 621 Fourth avenue. Lister had been formerly with Mrs. Fuson's cutting school in No. 5253 Glen building, corner of Fifth and Race streets, Cincinnati, Ohio. A few days after opening up their establishment adjoining their residence, they were joined by May Smith, who came from Mrs. Fuson's school to teach for Mr. and Mrs. Lister. She remained there until Saturday night a week ago, when her brother from Covington called for her to take her home. Mr. Lister said this morning that on reading the first account of the affair the girl appeared horrified, as she had been in correspondence with both Jackson and Walling and had told Mrs. Lister that she was engaged to Walling. Mrs. Lister had seen letters addressed to both men. When the account came out in the newspapers that May Smith had also been operated on by Walling and Jackson the girl stoutly denied it. Mr. Lister said, however, that about a week before Christmas, while in the employment of Mrs. Fuson, the girl was absent from the office a whole week, and if the operation was performed, it was performed at that time. Mr. Lister also declared that when the girl came back to work, she appeared altogether changed and appeared thinner and looked sickly. May Smith is between eighteen and twenty years of age, and has dark eyes and black hair, and is quite pretty.

Mr. Lister says that a man named Swan, who is connected with the Palace hotel, in Cincinnati, was a correspondent of May Smith, and that she was continually getting letters from Swan, Walling and Jackson.

When the locket was found in Cincinnati he heard May exclaim:

"Why, I know that locket. It was Jackson's, and contained a lock of Pearl Bryan's hair."

"I am positive," he said, "that she knew of the operation performed on Pearl Bryan by Walling."

Concerning the letters and papers of the Smith girl, the lady who keeps the boarding house at 621 Fourth street, said today that there had been a lot of letters and telegrams found under the matress of the bed which May Smith occupied, but that they had been burned by a little girl in the house. Mrs. Lister said: "I did not read the letters, but the lady of the house did. One was from a girl in Cincinnati which said Lon was sick. Lon is Walling, you know.

"The letter was dated after the day of the murder. The letters were of no importance and had no bearing on the case and were burned." There was one letter from Jackson, in which it was stated that Walling was in trouble about a girl.

TAKEN BACK TO KANSAS.

Alleged Bigamist Howe Sent to Confront One Wife.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 19.—The police last night took C. H. Howe, the alleged bigamist arrested here Thursday night, to Kansas City, Kas., where, as H. C. Wilmoth, he married Miss Ora Wilkins last December. He also had a wife, it is said, Mrs. Belle Buell, at Effingham, Ill., whom he married as H. C. Howard. Miss Wilkins' brothers came here to identify him, and accompanied the police back. He claims to have a sister, Mrs. Fred Osborne, living at No. 327 Eastern avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

FOUR INDICTMENTS.

Grand Jury at Crown Point Does Quick Work With the Accused.

CROWN POINT, Ind., Feb. 19.—The grand jury today returned four indictments for murder in the first degree. Those indicted are Emanuel Morris, a colored jockey at the Roby track, for stabbing William Judge, who just died in a Chicago hospital; Joseph Waworitik, Mary Waworitik, his wife, and Nick Kahle, who, it is supposed, murdered the two Huns at Whiting last week. Jockey Morris merely laughed when told he was held for murder, saying that he did not care. Kahle will endeavor to get a release from jail by habeas corpus proceedings. He claims he is a resident of Illinois and was kidnapped by Indiana authorities and brought over the state line against his will. The four were held without bail.

ANOTHER REBELLION.

Corea Again the Scene of a Revolution.

The Governor of Tan-Yang Captured by the Rebels—The Trouble Due to an Order to Cut Off the Queques.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 19.—The steamer Pekin, from Yokohama, arrived this morning. Another rebellion has broken out in Corea. The governor of the Tan-Yang district has been taken prisoner by the rebels. The Corean troops defeated the rebels in two engagements, but the rebels are not yet subdued. The insurrection was caused by a royal proclamation requiring the Coreans to sacrifice their queques and wear their hair in western fashion. Several Japanese papers condemn the release of Viscount Miura, charged with instigating the murder of the Corean queen as a gross miscarriage of justice. Miura was Japanese minister at the Corean court, and after a brief preliminary examination at Hiroshima he was allowed to depart. The judge said he was convinced Miura incited the murder of the queen, if his connection with her death was not even closer, but as the evidence might not convict Miura at a trial, the preliminary examination did not hold him. The lower house of the Japanese parliament has passed a newspaper bill rescinding the power of the government to suspend newspapers.

The warlike opposition to the Japanese has moderated, except in the mountain districts. All of North Formosa is under military rule. It is expected Japanese reinforcement will proceed against the rebel army now in the mountains.

NEGLECTED DUTY.

General Vifquain Calls Americans to Time.

Wants Them to Compete With England and France for Business in Panama.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—If English and French business houses can afford to pay their travelling agents on the Isthmus of Panama $12,000 a year, including expenses, why cannot American firms do as well, is the question put by United States Consul General Vifquain at Panama, in a report to the state department treating on the unsatisfactory rate of progress made by Americans in obtaining business on the isthmus. The consul general says that this cannot be done by correspondence, and he suggests that our merchants, by combination, maintain a house of samples at Panama where their goods may be seen by the people and ordered through a resident agent.

CHILIAN WHEAT NO GOOD,

Yet it is Taking the Place of the American Product.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Last year Chilian wheat to the amount 1,185,020 bushels was imported to Peru. United States Consul Jastromisti, at Alka, who reports the fact to the state department, says that this wheat is not well adapted to the making of white bread or pastry, and it cannot bear comparison with California white wheat, which might easily command the Peruvian market if there were a line of direct steam communication down the coast.

Arizona Carnival.

PHOENIX, Ari., Feb. 19.—Over 1,000 strangers have arrived to attend the carnival which opened this morning, and several special trains will be due today. This morning there was a literary program in the park and the largest street parade ever held in the southwest, participated in by regulars, militia, civic societies, fire department and a thousand Indians of all kinds, cowboys, etc. Seventy floats were also in line. The decorations are of exceptional beauty and the electrical display attractive.

MAHER TRAINING.

Wears Goggles, But Will be Able to Drop Them by Friday.

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 19.—The condition of Maher's eyes is reported this morning to be improved over that of yesterday and he will today go through his regular routine of training. He will be compelled to wear goggles for a day or two, but it is reported from his training quarters that he will be in condition to enter the ring on Friday.

GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 19.—Rumor is current here that Maher and Fitzsimmons will leave El Paso tonight, arrive at Galveston Friday afternoon and take steam tug with barge attached and go three or four miles into the Gulf of Mexico and fight for the championship before the kinetoscope and a few witnesses. It is said the kinetoscope people are willing to pay the purse and all expenses, and Stuart, despairing of the crowd at El Paso, is willing to do anything that will let him out on the deal. The scheme seems to be entirely feasible and is believed by sports here to be in contemplation, if not actually agreed upon.

Royal Sympathy.

BERLIN, Feb. 19.—The Empress of Germany today received Mrs. Runyon, widow of the late United States ambassador, in an audience of condolence.

STRIKE THREATENED

Among the Workers in the Manufacture of Clothing.

Chicago Will Witness a Strike That Will Only End After a Long and Bitter Struggle.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—It is the general belief among men connected with the manufacture of clothing that the biggest strike of workers in that line that Chicago has ever witnessed is at hand and that it will only end after a long and bitter struggle. Strike talk was heard on all sides at the headquarters of the Clothing Cutters' and Trimmers' association last night. One after another of the shop presidents dropped in and joined in a conference and it looked as if a general strike might be ordered for today. It was finally decided, however, to leave decisive action to a special meeting of the cutters and trimmers, which has been called for tonight. Then it is almost certain a strike of every union man in every clothing factory in the city, where the proprietors are known to have taken part in the meeting which decided to make war on the union will be ordered. To determine who are friendly and who are opposed to the organization the union has ordered each shop president to have an interview with the proprietor and report to the meeting tonight. The men were informed yesterday in a formal statement by the manufacturers that it had been decided to deal with the cutters and trimmers as individuals and refuse to recognize the officers of the union. Last night the cutters and trimmers employed by two firms decided not to go to work this morning. This makes six firms where the cutters have struck since being informed of the action of the manufacturers.

THE WORK OF RESCUE

Goes Bravely on at the Ill-Fated Mine.

It is Now Estimated That the Number of Entombed Men Will Reach Sixty.

NEW CASTLE, Col., Feb. 19.—All night a throng of weeping women and children stood about the mouth of the Vulcan mine, while a hardy band of rescuers were working earnestly and systematically in the hope of soon being able to reach the sixty or seventy entombed miners; all of whom, it is conceded, must now be dead.

The men succeeded in entering the shaft about 200 feet, but were driven out by the black damp and gas, which was continually belching forth.

John Evans, who went 300 feet down the main slope, reported the timbers in good shape and that the mine was only wrecked at the mouth of the slope, where the gas has an opportunity to expand.

The work of putting a new fan in place, so as to supply fresh air and make it possible for rescuers to penetrate the mine to the levels where the men were working when the explosion occurred was prosecuted throughout the night with all possible speed and the fan was in operation early this morning.

Opinions differ as to the cause of the explosion. Some say it was caused by a windy shot, others believe there was an explosion of coal dust, asserting that the company had been negligent in not having the rooms sprinkled as often as the law requires. It is impossible as yet to give a full and accurate list of the killed, as the list of those on duty at the time of the explosion is supposed to be in the pocket of Pit Boss James Harrison, who lies at the bottom of the slope, probably dead.

ALLEGED CORRUPTION.

Policemen are Arrested Charged With Extortion and Blackmail.

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 19.—That the Danville police force is rotten to the core is generally admitted. It is the sensation of the hour. Policeman Stokes and G. W. Ridley, candidate for alderman, were arrested Saturday for extortion. Today Policemen Stokes and Moore were arrested on another charge of blackmail. It is charged that they extorted $100 in property out of Horace Howorth and Bert Pritchard, of Georgetown, in order to secure themselves against arrest for stealing a robe from Kendal's livery stable. Moore, it is said, got a horse worth $60 and a note for $40, on which he sued for collection.

Secures an Editorial Position.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Slason Thompson, until recently editor in chief of the Evening Journal, has accepted a position on the editorial staff of the Evening Post.

A STARTLING DISCLOSURE.

Applicant for Pension Married an Undivorced Man.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 19.—Government officials have just finished investigating a matter brought up here by an application for a widow's pension, which has developed a peculiar state of affairs and places a highly respected lady in a decidedly embarrassing position. Early in 1872 John C. Curtis brought suit against his wife, Julia, for divorce. During their absence from the city their attorneys, considering both non residents, withdrew the application by agreement. Meanwhile the local newspapers erroneously announced that a divorce had been granted and friends furnished both parties with copies of the papers. A year later Mrs. Curtis remarried and five years later Curtis followed suit. Since then both have died and Mrs Curtis No. 2 moved to Chicago, from where she made application for pension by virtue of the fact that she was the widow of the deceased soldier. This led the government to investigate the case, with the result that she was confronted with the fact that she is the widow of an undivorced man. The whereabouts of Mrs. Curtis No. 1's husband is unknown.

HENCH GOES UP.

Elevated to Second Place on the Grand Lodge Roster.

A Worthy Fort Wayne Citizen Honored by His A. O. U. W. Brethren.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 19.—The grand lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen of Indiana met in this city yesterday in its seventh biennial session, with Grand Master T. D. Neal in the chair. The other grand officers were all present, but the attendance of representatives was not so large as the last meeting.

Grand Master Workman Neal resigned for business reason. The resignation was accepted by the grand lodge after Mr. Neal had explained his position by stating that it was impossible, for private reasons, for Grand Foreman Harry S. Chester to fill the office of grand master workman. By his resignation a vacancy would thus occur, and by reason of such vacancy Harry S. Chester would succeed him. Upon this understanding the resignation was accepted. The other officers were promoted in regular line. Supreme Foreman J. G. Tate, of Grand Island, Neb., is in attendance. Ninety eight persons were given the grand lodge degree.

The afternoon session of yesterday was taken up with the report of the committee on laws. Some minor changes were made. The per capita tax was left at $1.50.

A public session was held last night. Mayor Schafer welcomed the visitors and ex Grand Master Neal responded, followed by an address by J. G. Tate.

The election of officers took place this morning and resulted as follows:

Past Grand Master Workman—Harry S. Chester, of Elkhart.

Grand Master Workman—Thomas D. Neal, of Frankton.

Grand Foreman—George R. Hench, of Fort Wayne.

Grand Overseer—John D. Mitchell, of New Albany.

Grand Guide—R. C. Baxter, of Auburn.

Inside Watchman—L. M. Earl, of Evansville.

Outside Watchman—Titus Cummings, of Tell City.

Grand Medical Examiner—Dr. Douglass D. Ramsey, of Mt. Vernon.

Supreme Representatives—T. D. Neal, H. S. Chester, James Cox.

Alternates—C. C. Genung, L. H. Carr, P. H. Barrett.

The per capita tax was left as it was last year, no change being made. A motion to create an emergency fund was referred to the committee on laws.

New Railroad.

SUN DANCE, Wyo., Feb. 19.—The Wyoming and Black Hills railroad company, with a capital stock of $3,000,000 has been organized here. Henry M. Cutter, of Boston, Valentine Baker, of Cheyenne, and Apha A. Merritt, of this place, were elected trustees of the company for the first year. The object of the company is to build a line from Spear Fish, S. D., to Sun Dance in order to open the rich coal fields of this vicinity.

Horrible Death.

NORMAN, Okla., Feb. 17.—Martin Bell, twenty-five years old, was killed at Linden, a few miles from here, in a shocking manner. He was employed at a sawmill and was carrying a piece of timber. When near the large saw he tripped and fell forward, his body falling across the saw. Both arms were cut off and his head was separated from his body.

Prophesied His Own Death.

BRAZIL, Ind., Feb. 19.—Joseph Abbott, an old soldier of Staunton, died suddenly Monday. He returned from a visit to Pennsylvania ten days ago, and he told his friends that he would be dead in ten days. He was apparently in good health; nevertheless, he died on the tenth day of heart disease. The deceased was fifty-five years old.

Burned to Death.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 19.—News has been received here of the death by prairie fire of three Mexicans near Laguna Corronodas, Hockley county. The men went into camp and while asleep the grass was ignited by sparks from their camp fire and before they could escape they were so badly burned that all died in a short time.

A Wedding at Greensburg.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Feb. 19.—John Houser and Miss Nettie P. Phillips were united in marriage last night by the Rev. J. W. Duncan. Miss Phillips is about fifty years old. The bridegroom is about seventy five years old and is worth about $60,000.

Messrs. L. H. Wise, H. H. Ludwig and D. H. Edwards, the county commissioners of Van Wert county, Ohio, were in the city yesterday, looking at our county infirmary and inspecting the steam apparatus at the institution. They visited our county commissioners and returned to their homes last evening.

Miss Louise Hilgeman, of East Washington street, celebrated her birthday last evening.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

POLITICAL SURPRISES.

Pennsylvania Upset the Calculations of the Bosses.

Democrats and Republicans Exchange Honors in Beating Each Other in the Municipalities.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 19.—The plurality of 80,903 given yesterday for John L. Kinsey, the republican candidate for city solicitor in this city, has only been exceeded once. In 1894 Governor Hastings got a "tidal wave" plurality of 85,132. In selectmen the the democrats have only three out of thirty seven members, a loss of four.

All of the morning papers agree that reform was "snowed under." In many instances councilmanic candidates opposed vigorously by the Municipal league were re elected by larger majorities than ever before, notwithstanding the appeals issued by the league to citizens, "to elect a better class of men to the council, who will give the people better water, better gas, municipal ownership of electric lights and cheaper street car fares" and incidentally, "overthrow the bosses."

For the first time since its organization the league ran a candidate on the general ticket in the person of John A. McCarthy for magistrate. Out of 185,461 votes cast, 7,072 were for McCarthy. This is regarded by many as the strength of the league in this city, although the vote was so cut up by ward fights that it is difficult to estimate the actual number of league ballots cast.

In the state there were many surprises. Republicans carried democratic strongholds and democrats were successful where republicanism had formerly held sway. This was due in every instance to local conditions. The greater number of victories are, however, to be credited to the republicans. Probably the most interesting fight in the state, outside of Pittsburg was in Scranton, where ex-Mayor Connell and Congressman Scranton, leaders of rival republican factions, had a bitter fight. The latter was successful, with the aid of democratic votes, electing James G. Bailey, democrat, mayor and the balance of the democratic ticket by about 500 plurality. Mr. Scranton bolted the republican convention and was nominated on a rival ticket, but afterwards withdrew his candidates and supported the democrats. At Reading, in a total vote of over 11,000, Jacob Weidel, democrat, was elected mayor by 164 majority. They also elected Henry G. Young city treasurer, but Adam H. Leader, republican, was chosen controller by a big majority. At York, after a hot fight, Charles W. Brandt, democrat, was elected mayor by twenty-eight majority. Altoona elected H. C. Barr, republican, mayor and George Harpham, republican, controller by about 200 majority. Last night the election of their democratic opponents were conceded. The rest of the republican ticket got 800 majority. The democrats gained three common councilmen.

The unexpected happened at Williamsport, where in a hot three cornered fight, the prohibitionists elected James Mansel mayor by about 300 plurality.

OHIO LIQUOR TAX INCREASED.

New Law Raises the Assessment From $200 to $300.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 19.—The legislature yesterday took a decided step in the direction of regulating the liquor traffic of the state. For many years no special tax was paid by the liquor dealers in Ohio, but for the last five years each saloon was assessed $200. Yesterday a bill was enacted into a law requiring each wholesaler and retailer in liquor to pay an annual tax of $300.

INDIANA COAL MINES CLOSE.

About 300 Men Thrown Out of Work at Brazil.

BRAZIL, Ind., Feb. 19.—The mining business here at present is very dull. The Block Coal company closed down one of their mines today and the Zeller Coal company likewise closed their American Beauty mine, throwing altogether 300 men out of employment. The operators claim the demand for coal is extremely meager, necessitating the closing down of some of the mines.

THOUGHT HE TOOK QUININE.

David Taylor May Die From Somebody's Carelessness.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Feb. 18.—David Taylor, a well known mechanic, is in a critical condition from taking a drug bought for quinine. He fell unconscious on the street.

Kennel Club Show.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The twentieth annual bench show of the Westminster Kennel club opened in Madison Square Garden today and will be continued until Saturday night. Former exhibitions have begun on Tuesdays and ended on Fridays.

Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary.

PORTLAND, Ind., Feb. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Moses F. Smith, of this city, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding yesterday with a large gathering. They were married in Ohio in 1836.

Died of His Injuries.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Feb. 18.—Alonzo Strange, age thirty-two years, died last night of injuries sustained by falling from a hay mow one week ago.

VENDER OF BAD MEAT.

Indiana Appellate Court Indorses the Sentence of Emil Moseckke.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 19.—The appellate court ruled that the Lake circuit court did not err in the conviction and sentence of Emil Moseckke, of Hammond, who was fined $500 and imprisoned for six months for selling diseased horseflesh for food. It was sought to have the case reversed because the complaint did not allege that the meat was sold in the state, an averment which the higher court holds to be immaterial.

ANOTHER PRESENT

Received by Mayor Oakley, This Time a Surprise.

He Found it in His Front Yard This Morning—City Hall News and Notes.

Mayor Oakley received another present this morning but it was not given to him with a speech and he does not know who to thank for it. This morning when the colonel looked out of a front window at his residence on West Main street he found in the front yard an empty beer barrel. It had been thrown in there during the night. The mayor appreciated the joke and thinks of using the barrel as a flower pot next summer.

BOARD MEETS TONIGHT.

The board of public safety has a regular weekly meeting tonight but just what it is for is a mystery. At the office of the board this morning it was stated that there was nothing to come up for consideration and nobody could imagine what the board would have to do. The only matter the board had under consideration was the contract for the new patrol wagon and this was let last Saturday.

WILL START FRIDAY.

The contract of Martin Schele for hauling garbage expires tomorrow. Friday morning the new garbage wagons will be started out to make the rounds of the city. The new contractors will begin their work on that day.

Dr. W. H. Myers has returned from Chicago, where he witnessed some experiments with the Roentgen rays in photography. The experiments were very successful.

Dr. Enslen yesterday afternoon performed an operation upon Edward Cleary, of Shawnee avenue, removing a tumor from between the thumb and first finger of the left hand.

$100,000.00 ANNUALLY

From Fort Wayne for Missions and Church Benevolent Societies.

Given by the Old Fort Spice and Extract company. They have formulated a plan whereby the Missionary societies of various denominations and church societies throughout the United States can create a source of untold amount of revenue for their treasury, and without any labor on the part of the society.

The Old Fort Spice and Extract company have proposed to furnish through the wholesale and retail trade the above societies with a high grade of Baking Powder and Flavoring Extracts under the title or name of "Missionary Baking Powder" and "Missionary Flavoring Extracts," and with each package of baking powder and flavoring extract they guarantee to put a redeemable coupon ranging from 1c to 5c as follows:

1 lb can Missionary Baking Powder with a 5c redeemable coupon, 25c.

½ lb can Missionary Baking Powder with a 3c redeemable coupon, 15c.

¼ lb can Missionary Baking Powder with a 2c redeemable coupon, 10c.

1 bottle Missionary Vanilla Extract with a 2c redeemable coupon, 15c.

1 bottle Missionary Lemon Extract with a 1c redeemable coupon, 10c.

These coupons represent cash to the Missionary societies or other church benevolent societies. All this company asks or requests of the several societies as a consideration on their part is to use and have their friends and neighbors use Missionary Baking Powder and Missionary Flavoring Extracts and save the coupons thus obtained, and turn the same over to their treasurer as cash, which will be redeemed by the Old Fort Spice and Extract company or any of the national banks of Fort Wayne, Ind., in sums of $1 and upward for their face value, only when presented by the treasurer of the Missionary or church societies.

These goods are guaranteed to have no superior on the market and the same high grade and purity will be maintained. These goods will be placed upon the market through the wholesale and retail trade throughout the United States. The Old Fort Spice and Extract company have patented the word "Missionary" in connection with the various articles they manufacture, so as to protect the dealer and the members of the various missionary and church societies and their friends, as the Old Fort Spice and Extract company guarantee a redeemable coupon in each package which represents cash to the missionary and church societies.

This is by far the best plan we as missionaries have ever seen to aid us, as we have made a very careful computation and find that if only each member would use one pound of the missionary Baking Powder during twelve months over one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) will be paid into our treasury for the coupons we have gathered and had turned over for cash.

Miss Alma Nichols, of No. 224 Indiana avenue, is ill.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

TRIO OF TOUGHS

Create a Reign of Terror in the East End.

Set Fire to a Barn, Knock a Man Senseless, Steal Beer, Get Drunk and in Jail.

The east end of the city was terrorized yesterday afternoon by a trio of young toughs named Charles Steedley, Edward Lauer and Walter Cherry. The police were called to quell what was reported to be a riot and the affair turned out to be a bloody one.

Steedley, Lauer and Cherry got drunk yesterday afternoon and proceeded to raise a disturbance. They are charged with stealing some beer at the Berghoff brewery with which they became intoxicated. They tried to break into several residences on Dwenger avenue, frightening women and children almost to death and making all sorts of threats toward them. At the residence of Newton Relue they entered the barn and built a fire. Here they continued their orgies, drinking and making a racket until the place became too quiet for them and they left. Upon leaving the barn they did not extinguish the fire but left it burning. Neighbors and children who saw the fire had to gather after the gang had left and put out the fire with buckets of water to prevent the barn from burning down. A large hole was burned in the floor and some of the contents of the place were also destroyed.

The trio of toughs then headed for the soap factory. On the road they met John C. Coling, who drives a butcher's wagon. Coling had a load of tallow on the wagon. This was dumped off by the young desperadoes, and they attacked Coling with a large bone which was in one of the barrels on the wagon. Coling got away from them and ran to the soap factory. Gus Berghoff saw the fracas and ordered the three fellows away. They then went after him. Berghoff seized a long iron poker and called out the employes of the factory and they started in to clean out the gang. Martin Bisson, one of the neighbors who had also arrived, was struck on the head and face by one of the rioters with the same bone which had been used on Coling. Bisson was knocked senseless and had to be carried home unconscious. Berghoff was also struck on the hand with the same bone.

The riot assumed a desperate character and it was seen that something decisive had to be done. A hurry-up call was sent to the police station. Then the soap factory men chased the toughs toward the river. They surrounded two of them, Lauer and Cherry, at the water's edge. Lauer was easily captured, but Cherry jumped into the river to escape. He soon changed his mind, however, and came out and gave himself up.

By this time the patrol wagon, with Lieutenant Lapp, Sergeant Jewell and Officer Hines arrived and took charge of the prisoners. Steedley had not yet been captured, but Hines caught sight of him and gave chase. After running him all over that part of town, through buildings, streets, alleys, etc., the tough was brought to bay and taken to the police station with his two companions.

This morning, in police court, Steedley, Lauer and Cherry were bound over to circuit court in the sum of $300 on a charge of assault and battery. In circuit court they will also be charged with riot, larceny, arson and intoxication.

Bisson, the man who was knocked senseless by the gang, was in a serious condition this morning. His face and head are badly cut. Gus Berghoff's hand was also cut and he carries it in a sling.

CHICAGO'S BLACK SNOW

It Proves to Be Silt and Clay.

Gathered From the Fields of Nebraska and Carried Hundreds of Miles in the Air.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—An official statement concerning Chicago's black snow was given to the Associated Press today by Chief Moore, of the weather bureau. Mr. Moore's explanation is as follows:

"The black snow that has lately fallen in Chicago and the northwest is entirely similar to the great fall of January, 1895, the nature of which was thoroughly investigated by the weather bureau at that time. Notwithstanding the theoretical suggestion that the black deposit of last January might have come beyond the earth and might be meteoric or cometic or might even be the volcanic dust from Alaska or Japan, careful investigation showed that it was due to none of these causes. On the contrary, microscopic examination proved that the black deposit contains about 4 per cent. of the most delicate organic structures (such as diatoms and spores) and about 6 per cent. of the finest possible inorganic matter, such as makes up the ordinary fine silt and clay soils. All this fine material is easily caught up by the dry winds whenever they exceed twenty miles per hour and is carried to great distances before it has time and opportunity to settle on the ground. It is easily brought down in large quantities by snow or rain but is only perceived by the ordinary observer when there is a clean surface of snow for it to fall upon. Large portions of country from Nebraska southward to the gulf are covered by this fine soil whose depth sometimes is 100 feet. A gale of wind has been known to carry away six inches of the surface soil from a freshly cultivated field and spread it over the land 100 miles away. The blackness is due to the fineness of the silt and not to any magnetic iron."

PHYSICIANS FOR POOR.

The County Commissioners Make Their Appointments.

Chicken Thieves Given One Year in Prison—Big Bastardy Suit on Trial.

The county commissioners have made the following appointments of physicians, for the different townships and territories in this city, for the poor who require their attention during the year.

Dr. W. F. Schrader for all that part of the city east of Calhoun, north of Lewis and south of River streets, which includes Hope hospital.

Dr. Wm. Enslen, all that part of the city west of Calhoun and south and east of the St. Mary's river, including the county jail and the St. Joe hospital.

Dr. John Nichols, Washington township outside of the city and Wayne east of Calhoun and north of the rivers.

Dr. M. W. Tinkham, Wayne township outside of the city, including the county infirmary.

Dr. R. E. Adams, for the townships of Cedar Creek, Scipio, Milan, Monroe and Springfield.

Dr. J. L. Smith, Madison and Monroe townships.

Dr. S. N. Meyers, Jefferson township.

BIG BASTARDY SUIT.

The office of Justice Harry France was crowded this afternoon to listen to the evidence in the bastardy case of Emma Shellner against Frank Fogel, of Huntertown. There were fifteen witnesses for the prosecution and thirty-five for the defense. The case is being hotly contested. N. D. Doughman and E. V. Emrick are the attorneys for the state and J. M. Robinson, of this city, and A. G. Dunton, of Huntertown, of the defense.

CRIMINALS GOT ONE YEAR.

The jury in the case of the state against Adam Rowe and Henry Koons, charged with stealing chickens, returned a verdict of guilty this morning at 9 o'clock and the defendants were given one year in the penitentiary.

PLENTY OF GAS

In the Territory Where We Get Our Supply.

M. L. Jones, in reply to an inquiry made by him, has received the following letter from J. C. Leach, the state supervisor of natural gas:

KOKOMO, Ind., Feb. 8, '96.

After an investigation of the Fort Wayne Gas supply, both in the territory and in the city, I am satisfied that the late trouble was local, that is owing to water and ice in the pipe lines and I hope it will not occur again. The supply of gas is abundant.

Yours truly,

J. C. LEACH

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Mrs. Ella Brinkman Died Last Night From Blood Poisoning.

Mrs. Ella Brinkman died last night at the family residence, No. 173 Gay street, from blood poisoning. She was thirty-three years of age and leaves a husband and seven small children.

The time of the funeral has not yet been set.

LAYMAN.

The three weeks old child of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Layman, of No. 331 Hoagland avenue, died last night from exhaustion. The funeral will be held at the residence tomorrow afternoon.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lange will be held at the residence, No. 334 West Jefferson street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Not Mrs. Cody.

STOCKTON, Cal., Feb. 19.—The demented woman who was detained by the police here on the suspicion that she was the missing Mrs. Cody, of Chicago, is not the lost woman. Chief Smith, of Tacoma, where Mrs. Cody was last seen, visited the woman and said she did not look like Mrs. Cody.

OFFICERS ELECTED

By Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection Last Night.

Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection last evening elected the following officers: Wm. Geake, T. P. G. M.; James Harper, deputy G. M.; Daniel L. Harding, Ven. Sr. Gr. W.; James M. Henry, Ven. Jr. Gr. W.; Henry C. Hanna, Gr. orator; Geo. W. Pixley, Gr. treasurer; Charles R. Fitch, Gr. secretary; Charles A. Wilding, Gr. M. of C.; James C. Craig, Gr. C. of G.; Cecilius R. Higgins, Gr. hospitaler; Marion Teagarden, Gr. tyler; Geo. W. Pixley, Robert A. Liggett, Jacob W. Clark, trustees.

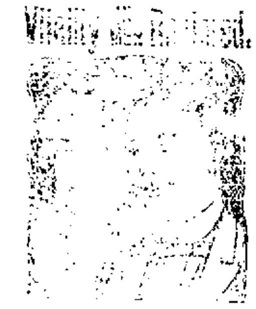
A Noted Divine Dead.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 19.—Rev. J. D. McDonnell, pastor of St. Andrews church this city, and probably the best known Presbyterian divine in Canada, died today.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows available cash balance, $[illegible]; gold reserve, $93,014,432.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.



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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, FEB 19 1896

TONIGHT.

MIDWAY PLAISANCE—Production of the World's Fair Street by the Fort Wayne Military Companies at Princess Rink.

MASONIC TEMPLE—Jessie Mae Hall and company in leading Comedy Plays at Popular Prices.

EMPIRE THEATRE—The Lyon's Comedy Company. The play of "Hazel Kirke."

KNIGHTS OF THE MACABEES—Special meeting of Mad Anthony Tent, at their hall.

PRAYER MEETINGS—At Different City Churches.

SOCIAL—Bee Hive No. 27, Ladies of the Macabees at the home of Mrs. Chas. Flynn, No. 11 Cass street.

LENTEN SERVICES—At all Catholic Churches and also at Trinity Episcopal Church.

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY—Regular meeting at City Hall.

MACHINISTS' UNION — Regular meeting.

JR. O. U. A. M.—Wayne Council No 35, Regular Meeting.

BOILERMAKERS' UNION—Regular meeting.

WHEELMAKERS' UNION, No. 5,322—Regular meeting.

KNIGHTS OF ST. JOHN—Emmett Commandery, No. 17.

LODGES—Fort Wayne Lodge No. 19, A. O. U. W.; Maumee Lodge No. 50, A. O. U. W.; Red Men's Lodge; Concordia Lodge, No. 228, I. O. O. F.

As a heating fuel, natural gas is not a howling success during severe cold weather.

Ice cream soda has put in its appearance, notwithstanding the fearful blizzard of last night.

Edison prophesies that in ten years horseless carriages will be the rule, and horse propelled vehicles the exception.

The beginning of the Lenten season will be the end, for the time being, of many social pleasures.

A statistician computes that the queen is now sovereign over a continent, 100 peninsulas, 500 promontories, 1,000 lakes, 2,000 rivers and 10,000 islands.

The senate talks of an early adjournment. For all the good it is doing the country it might have adjourned six or eight weeks ago.

Things are getting around to where it looks as if it would be McKinley against the field, and the field is a troublesome thing to tackle.

Susan B. Anthony celebrated her seventy-ninth birthday on Saturday. Miss Anthony has arrived at a time in life when she does not attempt to conceal the number of her birthdays.

The South Bend Times made a canvass of the voters of South Bend, irrespective of politics, and found that McKinley and Matthews were largely the favorites in the presidential race.

Public sentiment has driven prize fighting out of every state of the union. Now let the same kind of public sentiment be manufactured in other countries and then the prize fighters will find their brutal occupations gone altogether.

Early "favorite sons" are now in line for the republican presidential nomination. This leads the Chicago Inter Ocean into giving this advice: "Don't tramp on the soft corns of 'favorite sons.' You may want to gather in their crop when 'the reaping time' comes.

The argument before the supreme court in the Nicholson law case, which was to have taken place today, has been postponed on account of the illness of Judge Jordan, who is confined to his home at Martinsville. It is understood now that the argument will not be heard until week after next.

The Lenten season, which began to day, continues forty days, or until Easter Sunday, April 5th. It is observed in commemoration of the forty days fast of our Savior, during which time penances are done, and all amusements are abstained from, that is by those who profess to be Christians and are members of certain denominations.

The report that the Cubans are willing to pay $100,000,000 for their independence may or may not be true. Certainly freedom would be worth that sum, and it would be wise for Spain to accept the offer if it is made. It will cost many times that amount to keep the Cubans in submission, for even if the present rebellion is crushed another will follow sooner or later.

Dr. David McClure, for many years a prominent democrat of Clark county, and who had served in the house and senate of the Indiana legislature several terms, died at his home at Jeffersonville on Sunday, the 16th inst., in the eighty-first year of his age. He was eminent as a physician, distinguished for his generosity and philanthropy among the poor, and was a citizen of high character.

All attempts to bulldoze Governor Matthews into calling a special session of the legislature to consider the apportionment will fail. The republicans would like to upset the 1885 legislative apportionment act, and at the same time would like to keep their nineteen hold over senators, elected two years ago. Fifty thousand dollars for a special session of the legislature to pass an apportionment act that can only be good for one election is paying too dearly for it.

S. P. Sheerin, secretary of the democratic national committee and a leader in Indiana politics, is warmly supporting Governor Claude Matthews for the presidential nomination at the Chicago convention. Since Indiana was admitted no democratic president has been elected without the Hoosier electoral vote. Mr. Sheerin says no democrat will deny that the Indiana vote will be needed this year, and he insists that Governor Matthews' nomination will insure it for the democrats.

The list of republican candidates for the nomination of governor of Indiana now stands at the unlucky number of thirteen and includes Frank B. Posey, Evansville; R. T. Gardner, Washington; James Riley, Vincennes; Will Cumback, Greensburg; James Johnson, Rockville; John L. Griffiths, Indianapolis; J. C. Adams, Indianapolis; Major Charles Doxey, Anderson; Theodore Shockney, Union City; J. J. Todd, Bluffton; W. D. Owen, Logansport; Charles F. Griffin, Hammond, and C. E. Everett, of this city.

Later and authoritative advices must be awaited before the truth is thoroughly established that Dr. Nansen has reached the north pole. At present it looks as though he will have to bring the pole with him in order to convince a doubting world that he has actually found it. One reason why the report that Dr. Nansen succeeded in reaching the north pole is not generally believed is that such reports have been sent out before, but have invariably proven false. But the explorers are persistent, and some day some of them will succeed in reaching the pole, if Dr. Nansen has not.

The republicans of this congressional district will meet at Auburn on the 18th of March for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and also to select two delegates to their national convention. There isn't any contest for the nomination for congress, it being generally conceded that the present incumbent, Mr. Leighty, will be renominated, but for delegate to the national convention there is a big fight on. Frank L. Roby, of Steuben county, will be chosen by acclamation for one of the delegates. The candidates for the honor of being the other delegate are all from Allen county and are as follows: R. T. McDonald, C. D. Law, B. W. Skelton and Frank Alderman. Since the retirement of Harrison as a candidate all of them are McKinley men. All of these gentlemen are working hard for themselves and the contest for votes from this time until the convention decides the matter will be an interesting one. The democrats will look on while the fight goes on and enjoy the fun.

Farmers living in the vicinity of Lake City, Mich are seriously talking of boycotting that town, because the cows are permitted to run loose on the streets of the city, and when a farmer with a load of garden truck or feed stops to do any trading the cows gather around his wagon and eat his stock and more than his profits. The farmers say they are not in the free lunch business and the cows must be restrained or they will do their trading elsewhere. We would suggest to the farmers up there that they send for Councilman John Mohr, jr. of this city. He would go to Lake City with his celebrated cow ordinance and get rid of the bovines on the streets in a hurry.

The new recruiting system for the army, aided by the hard times for the last few years, has resulted in bringing the enlisted strength up to its maximum and a few days ago orders were issued by the adjutant general, who is in charge of the work instructing the recruiting officers accordingly. Several of the minor stations where men have been enlisted have been closed temporarily and the officers on the detail have been given other duties. Recruits have been coming in rapidly for some months, and they are a good class of men, most of whom have been out of employment and have taken to the army in preference to any uncertainty regarding their board and lodging. Then, the new regulations governing recruiting places make it optional with regimental commanders as to filling their commands. This has resulted in more care being taken, for the regimental adjutants are careful to enlist only such men as will be a credit to their discernment of character. The new instructions to the recruiting officers are that they should enlist only the very highest class of applicants and be very sparing in enlisting them.

The prohibitionists of Indiana will meet at Indianapolis Wednesday and Thursday of next week for the purpose of making a state ticket, appointing delegates to the national convention of the party, which will be held in Pittsburg, May 27, and nominating an electoral ticket. The leaders say that it will be the largest and most spirited convention the party has ever held in Indiana. The party has on its hands a contest between the two factions known as the "broad gauge" and the "narrow gauge." It is the pending conflict between these two factions, it is said, that has created so much interest in the convention. The "broad gauge" faction is in favor of making a platform that will discuss all the public questions of general interest, including a declaration in favor of the unlimited coinage of silver, a plank denouncing monopolies, and plain declarations on all the subjects that other state conventions are likely to discuss. The "narrow gauge" faction will insist that the party stick to what it calls the "dominant issue," or prohibition. The information here is that the factions are about of equal strength.

This is Certainly a Chance Which Should Not Be Lost.

We are aware that our people who suffer from nervous, chronic or long standing complaints do not have the same opportunity to be cured as do the residents of the great cities where the most eminent physicians and specialists reside. In other words our people are debarred from seeking a cure by the great and skilled physicians owing to the cost of travel to the large city and the high fees charged by such physicians.

Here, therefore, is a chance for the sick of our community which should not be lost. Dr. Greene of 35 West 14th St., New York City, who has the largest practice in the world and who is without doubt the most successful specialist in curing all forms of nervous and chronic diseases, offers to give free consultation by mail to all sufferers whom their local physician has failed to cure. You have the privilege of consulting Dr. Greene by letter, describing your complaints, and he will, after carefully considering your condition, send you a letter fully explaining all your symptoms, telling you everything about your complaint so plainly that you will understand exactly what ails you. He will also give you his advice, based upon his vast experience and wonderful success in treating such cases, as to just what to do to get cured. All this will cost you nothing and you can thus have consultation with the best known physician and acknowledged most successful specialist in the world, without leaving home and at no expense whatever. The Doctor is the discoverer of that greatest of all known medicines, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and he has discovered many other most valuable remedies. Write to him now, for this is a chance to get cured which you may never have again.

If the Gladstone government had not been overthrown in the summer of 1885, the boundary question between British Guiana and Venezuela would have been settled. [illegible]

AUTHORESS MARRIED.

Amelie Rives Catches a Real Live Nobleman.

Prince Troubetzkoy Falls Captive to Her Pretty Face and Daddy's Many Dollars.

Charlottesville, Va., Feb. 19.—Amelie Rives Chanler and Prince Pierre Troubetzkoy, a Russian nobleman, were married at 3 o'clock this afternoon, at "Castle Hill," the home of Col. Alfred Rives, father of the authoress. Paul L. Menzel, D. D., of Richmond, a Lutheran clergyman, performed the ceremony. It was witnessed only by members of the family, Miss Julia Magruder, the authoress, and Allen Potts, of Richmond. The couple will remain here for some time and afterward they will take a trip abroad. They will live in London, the home of Prince Troubetzkoy. The bride was divorced last October from John Armstrong Chanler, of New York, to whom she was married in 1888, while at the height of her literary fame.

BOSTON HAS 100,000 CORNS.

Bill to Regulate the Chiropodist Industry Reveals Startling Figures.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 18.—A bill is before the Massachusetts legislature which provides for a state commission for the regulation of chiropodists, and the sentiment in favor of it is so strong that it bids fair to become a law. A number of prominent chiropodists advocate the measure on the ground that chiropody is being used as a cloak for carrying on an immoral business by a good many people in the large cities, particularly in Boston. A state commission, they believe, would protect the legitimate members of the profession and punish the pretenders. The business in Boston has become an important industry for, it was stated at a hearing that seventy-five persons are engaged in it legitimately, and that 100,000 Bostonians have corns which require treatment in the course of a year.

SIR 'ENRY'S ACTOR.

He Liked Congressman Crowley, but Could Not Understand His Metaphor.

He was as corpulent as an exclamation point, and he had a sort of tongue tied walk, reminding one of a bad case of locomotor ataxia. His asbestus tinted frizzes were parted amidships, like my lady's well groomed Yorkshire terrier, and his larboard eyebrow executed a St. Vitus' dance in an effort to retain a strangle hold on the monocle screwed in his eye.

He was one of Sir Henry's actors, and together with Sir Henry had been seeing the sights of Washington. He said:

"One of the first membaws I encountawed, yer knaw, was a—aw—congressman from Texas, named—aw—named Miles Crowley. This Crowley, yer knaw, aw—is a chawming fellow, but I didn't quite—aw—gwasp some of his —aw—his metaphaw. When I—aw—awsked him what the average numbaw of—aw—people killed per day in Texas, numbaw negroes lynched, numbaw white men shot for cheating at cawds, do you know what he actually said? 'Why,' said Crowley, 'that depends upon the numbaw of Queen Vic's subjects there aw in Texas. Numbaw varies each day. Going and coming all the time. Now, you, faw instance, wouldn't last 15 minutes in Texas, unless you switched yaw dialect, got yaw hair cut, and blew that bum looking roof yaw wearing.'

"The ideaw! Switching dialect and blowing roof! I awsked him to explain, you knaw, and he told me that I would have to have laparotomy performed on my head before I saw a jaowke or a gag, dawnt yer knaw. Pawsitivley, yer knaw, Congressman Crowley is simply —aw—simply excruciating, yer knaw —aw. Crowley, I was told, yer knaw—aw—was quite a fightaw in Texas, and I awsked him about it.

"'Yes, quite wight, yer knaw,' said Crowley. 'Down in our country our motto is, "The shooting iron is mightiaw than the sword, and the boxing glove is mightiaw than the pen—aw." It was till Govnaw Cullawson gave the Cawbett and Fitz the fwappe, yer knaw.'"

"Confound such metaphaw. What does fwappe mean? I nevaw will learn this Amewican slang, yer knaw, aw.

"'Look heaw, Iwing,' said Crowley —he flattawed me by comparing me to the govnaw, Sir 'Enry—'you didn't know I came from Bawston, good old Irish Bawston stock. I was bawn under the shadow of Bawston Hill monument, but I got the hot foot, yer knaw. Screw ed my nut, yer knaw.'

"Such expwessions, aw, as 'screw my nut' and 'got the hot foot' were confounded cleavaw, I suppose, but blow me if I could compwehend them, yer knaw, aw.

"Then, yer knaw, I awsked Mr. Crowley about his early days at school in Bawston, and he astonished me by telling me as 'ow he went through Hawvawd, aw. 'Ow I happened to go through Hawvawd, yer knaw, was like this: A friend of the family, yer knaw, was jantaw of the college, and he took me through.'

"Some of Crowley's friends were standing about, yer knaw, and bloime me if they all didn't give me an awful lawf, yer knaw, aw. Oi couldn't see exactly whaw the lawf came in. We went into a pub neaw the theataw, and Mr. Crowley recommended some 'awf and 'awf. The 'awf and 'awf was tip top, yer knaw, and I awsked the bawtendaw if it was imported.

"'It's from Jersey—Newark, New Jersey,' said the bawtendaw.

"'Then it's imported if it's from New Jersey,' said Mr. Crowley, and they all lawfed again, though I couldn't see where the lawf came in, yer knaw —aw. But Congressman Crowley is a moine of infawmation, and it was from him, yer knaw, that I faound what it is that Cleveland issued his Venezuelaw papaw. Cleveland is kind of a spawt in his wol, and he loikes to see spawling people enjoy themselves. By favawing Venezuelaw he can get all he wants, yer knaw, from Cwespo. And what he wants, yer knaw, is for Cwespo to pawss a bill permitting pwize foighting. This will give the foighters, yer knaw, a chawnce to pull off a mill, and the politicians of the Stoites can no longer make political capital aout of the foighters. Every spawt in the Stoites will give Grover his suppawt if the Venezuelaw question is decided in favaw of Amerieaw, said Mr. Crowley, yer knaw!

"When I told Congressman Harry Minaw, whom I knaw, yer knaw, in a theatrical wol, what Mr. Crowley had unpawted to me, what do you suppawse Minaw said?

"He lawfed lawtily, and said 'as 'ow Crowley had been a-joshing of me.

"Now, bloime me, what does 'joshing mean, yer knaw—aw?"—Washington Post.

Youthful Ambition.

"You intend to be something better than a bootblack some day, my boy, don't you?" said the benignant old gentleman.

"You bet!" answered the gamin.

"That's the right way to talk. At the same time, my boy, never be ashamed of your calling. One of the greatest lawyers the west ever turned out began life as a bootblack."

"That's all right," rejoined the dirty faced boy, polishing away. "But I' goin to be a bank clerk. That's what Jim Corbett was."—Chicago Tribune.

His Sacrifice.

Mrs. Youngwyf—Is your husband going to give up anything for you this year?

Mrs. Leightley Wedd—I guess so. Last year he gave up about $3,000 for me.—New York World.

Would Rather Run the Risk.

Mrs. Corntossel had been thoughtfully gazing at the ceiling while the daily paper lay in her lap.

"Hiram," she said, "hev ye seen this new women's Bible they're talkin 'bout?"

"No. I hain't laid eyes on to it yet. D'ye think it's any better'n the old un we're used to?"

"I d'no. Ye might git one an jedge fer yerself."

"No, Hiram. I won't do anything of the kind. I try not to be behind the times even of we do live in the country. I don't begrudge what the daily papers cost an I'm glad ter hear the steam engine toot an the 'lectric car buzz, 'cause I know thet it means progress. I'm convinced thet the republican form of guver'ment is a eternal success an I mus' say thet I've got a strong suspicion thet a woman ez is taxable under the law orter hev a vote of she wants it. I wanter be right up ter date Hiram, but when it comes ter tryin ter put modern improvements on the Scriptures I declare I'd rather take my chances, Hiram, on bein a back number."—Washington Star.

A Story of Lincoln.

President Lincoln reached Meade station, near Petersburg, soon after a serious battle, in which about 2,000 Confederates were made prisoners. General Meade was on the president's left and Colonel George D. Ruggles on his right. On their way to headquarters they rode to a point where they could see the large assemblage of prisoners. With the prisoners were many colored servants and laborers.

"Mr. Lincoln," said General Meade, "I guess Ruggles did not overestimate the number of men captured."

Mr. Lincoln checked his horse, deliberately surveyed the field full of Gordon's disarmed men and the contrabands and said, "Yes, general, the number is there in black and white."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Masculine Conceit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fogg were having almost a quarrel over their youthful son, who had not been conducting himself in a way to please his mother.

"I don't care," Mrs. Fogg exclaimed, "Henry is just like you. Even a stranger could tell in a minute that he was your son."

"Sh, Hannah," Mr. Fogg broke in. "Don't say such things in his presence. You'll make the little chap as vain as a peacock."—Boston Transcript.

Not Up on American Politics.

Rutherford B. Hayes was an occasional visitor to New York after he had moved out of the White House, but unlike ex-President Harrison he was not averse to being interviewed on subjects that were not political. One of the New York papers on the occasion of his last visit to this city sent a young Englishman, who had recently joined the staff, up to the Fifth Avenue hotel with instructions to interview Mr. Hayes on the subject of chickens. Mr. Hayes received his visitor and chatted with him for half an hour on various subjects, and among other things he assured his interviewer, laughingly, that he had gone into chicken raising as a business. When the Englishman arose to go, he said:

"By the way, Mr. Hayes, I want my report to be accurate, and would you mind telling of what you were once president?"

"Of the United States, sir," replied Mr. Hayes, and when the Englishman arrived at his office he told the city editor that Mr. Hayes was a great wag.—New York Sun.

Its Strange Story.

"That's a queer looking watch," observed the man whose collar button showed above his necktie.

"It's a queer watch," replied the man in the mackintosh, replacing it in his pocket. "It has a history."

"Family heirloom, perhaps," suggested the man who had his feet on the table. "Last member of the family that had it was your uncle, who had previously let you have a dollar and a half"—

"It never was out of my possession," resumed the man in the mackintosh, with a glance of disdain at the last speaker, "except once, and there wasn't any money borrowed on it that time."

"Footpad took it away from you, looked at it, and handed it back," ventured the man with the slouch hat.

"Traded it to somebody for a yellow dog and the other fellow returned it and told you to keep the dog," hazarded the man with the soiled cuffs.

"This watch," said the man in the mackintosh, "has been my constant companion for many years. One night in 1893 I went to sit up with a sick friend. I was instructed to give him his medicine at intervals of two hours. Once during the night I lay down on a lounge and dozed. I wasn't asleep over two minutes, and yet when I waked up my watch was gone. I looked at the sick man. To all appearance he hadn't moved. There was nothing to indicate that anybody had entered the room, and I was sure nobody could have come in without waking me, anyhow. It was a mystery, but there was nothing I could do or say. I had fallen asleep at my post and had no right to kick. Well, that man got well. Afterward he concluded to move away from town. He sold his household goods at auction. To help him out I bought part of them myself. Among the traps was that lounge. One day I got tired of seeing it about the house. I broke it up for kindling. When I knocked the back of it off this watch fell out. It had slipped out of my pocket the night I lay down on it and took that little nap. That watch, gentlemen, was still going."

"How long had it been lost?" asked the man with the bright green necktie.

"About six months. I told you, gentlemen, the watch had a history. That's the history."

Then somebody exclaimed in a tone of deep disgust that he hated a liar, and the audience slowly filed out.—Chicago Tribune.

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First Ditto—It is just as I tell you, though. He is a pawnbroker, you see.—Centralblatt fur Radsport.

A Natural Inquiry.

"Chimmy," said a curbstone cherub, "what's de equator?"

"Don't you know? I learnt it in wan lesson at night school. De equator is an imaginary line around de eart'."

"Who put it dere? Great Britain?"—Washington Star.

An Object For Charity.

"Well, of all the impudence—asking me to help you because you have three wives to support!"

"They don't belong to me, mister, nothin of the sort. They belong to me son-in-laws."—Indianapolis Journal.

Not In His Line.

Miss Harmony—Do you play Offenbach?

Chris Anthemum (promptly)—No, not often. I have played half back twice, but I generally rush.—New York World.

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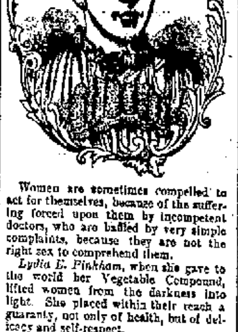
[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

The theories of physicians in regard to female complaints suffer a "Waterloo" very frequently, when sensible and thinking women take matters into their own hands.



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3 qt. Milk pans	25
2 qt. Milk pans	20
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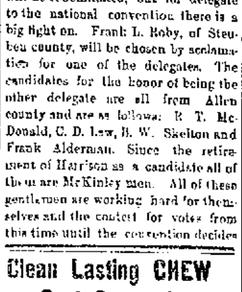

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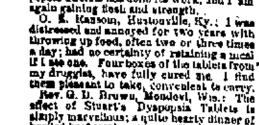

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THREE OF A KIND.

RAILWAYS AND SHOPS.

Wonderful Earnings of a Prussian Railroad.

The Panhandle Sued by a Former Brakeman—Personal and Local Gossip Heard at the Shops.

The Associated Press sends out the following dispatch from Washington today: "A strong argument for government ownership of railways is contained in a report to the state department by United States Commercial Agent Moore at Weimar upon the Prussian railroad system. He shows that last year the gross receipts from these railways was $244,461,175, or more than half of the entire revenues of the state. The net earnings deducting $53,240,600 interest on working capital and sinking fund, were $51,051,000, which will be turned into the treasury for the use of the state. This sum is larger than the income derived from taxes of all kinds.

DAILY MENTION.

A. M. Smith is a new brakeman on the Nickel Plate.

Wallace Kendall, of the electric works, who has been very ill for a week, is reported better today.

H. B. Crawford, of the winding room at the electric works, is off duty on account of private business.

The extension of time for the equipment of freight cars with safety appliances expired on Saturday.

Willard Knight has returned from Ohio, where he had been on business for the Electric corporation.

William Zimmerman went to Lafayette this morning to caulk the flues of Wabash engine 61, which had sprung a leak.

Engine 132, recently repaired in the Pittsburg shops, was sent to the Toledo division of the Pennsylvania system this morning.

The Illinois Car Service association now includes twenty-six roads and looks after demurrage charges at fifty-five cities and towns in the state.

Fred Lindeman, of the Pittsburg round house, is harboring a fine St. Barnard dog which has evidently strayed from its owner's premises.

Last week's shipments out of Chicago aggregated 71,070 tons, compared with 80,089 tons for the previous week and 49,738 tons for the corresponding week last year.

L. S. Coffin, of Iowa, president of the home for aged and disabled railroad men, on Sunday addressed several hundred men at a meeting at Columbus, Ohio.

East bound business out of St. Louis is said to be the lightest of any time in years, only eighty to a hundred loaded cars being forwarded from St. Louis proper per day.

J. L. Harris, for years general live stock agent of the Wabash, has been appointed general live stock agent in Texas of the Chicago Union Stock Yards and Transit company.

The Electric corporation is making some addition to a lighting plant in the city of Alexandria, La. This morning the company sent a 1,000 light Wood alternating machine to that city.

Charles Buuck, who was married last evening, resumed his work in the Pittsburg paint shop this morning. He did not forget to bring cigars and distribute them among the shopmen.

Thomas Williams and Casper Lehmkuler are sick and Charles Rice, William Byerly, A. Rost, Frank Girard, Tony Gerard, M. Feuchter, C. Schneider, John P. Schmidt, E. McLaughlin, L. P. Kelley and Michael Deuters are out on account of lack of work. All are employes of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

Philip C. Wortman, of Islin, N. J., is the guest of his uncle, P. G. Tigar, of 69 Cass street. Mr. Wortman is the Pennsylvania company's station agent at Islin, and his health being poor, the company gave him a three months' vacation to recuperate. He will spend a good portion of the time in this state with relatives.

The absentee list at the Pittsburg lumber yards is a sort of combination of a barometer and thermometer. When it is unusually large the clerks know that the weather is inclement—either too cold or too wet. The list was larger than usual this morning, due to zero weather. Besides the list of sick men employed therein, the names of Messrs. Bowers, Bender, Pageler, Gephardt and Buckley appear on the list.

Alfred E. Gibson has filed a suit in the Cass circuit court, demanding $10,000 from the Panhandle road for injuries sustained in a collision of trains on that road last January. Gibson was a member of a work train crew and the train collided with a freight train at Marion, throwing him down an embankment a distance of fifty feet. He received injuries about the back, spine and other parts of the body, which have incapacitated him from work. He claims the accident was due to the negligence of the company through its employes.

Indianapolis Journal: "Local passenger circles are a good deal disturbed that the Lake Erie and Western, in connection with the Nickel Plate, on Sunday took two theatrical troupes from this city for the east. The arbitrary action of the passenger officials at their recent meeting in Chicago will, without doubt, be of benefit to lines not in the association; however, General Passenger Agent Daly claims to have carried these troupes at full rates."

Pittsburg Engineer Timothy McCarthy and Engineer Denny McCarthy, of the Nickel Plate, went to Logansport this morning to attend the funeral of a relative.

Engine 66, from the Pennsylvania's Chicago suburban service, came down here for repairs yesterday. Engine 168 was turned out of the shop today, after general repairs.

Pittsburg Fireman George Ek received information this morning, which took him up to Chicago. His brother, Ed, is lying at the point of death with lung trouble, in that city.

SEEKING LOW RAILWAY RATES.

As no railroad rate has been given for the bi-ennial encampment of the Knights of Pythias, the supreme chancellor issued a call today for a meeting of the supreme officers at Cincinnati on the 22d to consider the situation and either call off the encampment or fix upon a place to which satisfactory rates can be obtained.

PIG IRON MARKET DULL.

The Industrial World of February 20 will say: "The week has been a quiet one in pig iron, for while there continues a good inquiry from car builders, implement makers and others for round lots, the actual sales were comparatively light, the largest contract placed being 1,000 tons at the basis of $12 for No. 2 coke foundry. Excepting structural material, the finished iron and steel market was quiet. Upwards of 4,000 tons of building, skeleton steel construction work and bridge plates were contracted, mostly secured by eastern mills. Some 300 tons of old car wheels were sold at $13.75. General prospects are encouraging."

BALTIMORE AND OHIO CHANGES.

THE SENTINEL is in receipt of the following dispatch from Baltimore: "The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad company was held today. A letter was received from William F. Bruns, announcing that owing to the failing condition of his health he resigned as a director. Mr. Wm. F. Frick, in moving the acceptance of the resignation of Mr. Wm. F. Burns as a director, paid a high tribute to the long, earnest and valuable services to the company of the gentleman. Mr. Burns repeatedly acted as president pro tem of the company. Mr. George C. Jenkins was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. No action was taken relative to the formation of the Baltimore and Ohio Northwestern system out of the lines running from Pittsburg to Chicago controlled by the Baltimore and Ohio. Action on the proposed collateral trust loan was also deferred. The loan has already been authorized and the negotiations are being conducted by Major Alexander Shaw, chairman of the finance committee. Gen. Orland Smith tendered his resignation as first vice president and Mr. Oscar G. Murray, upon the nomination of President Cowen, was unanimously confirmed as first vice president of the company. General Smith's time being almost exclusively occupied as a member of the board of managers of the joint traffic association at New York, remains as the representative of the Baltimore and Ohio company on that board, and holds also the presidency of several of its important subsidiary lines."

The Same Old Canard.

"Dear me," said Maude, "there has been a dreadful lot of talk in the financial articles about a gold ring. What do you suppose they are driving at?"

"Oh, I don't know," replied Mamie, in a weary tone. "I guess it's just some more of this silly joking about engagements."—Washington Star.

More Than Enough.

She—Ethel Passco had such a queer experience yesterday afternoon, about dark, going home from the Browning class. A man rushed out of an alley behind her, kissed her—just once—and fled!

He—I should think he would!—New York Tribune.

The Seasons Change.

"You told me that this was a good warm flat!" exclaimed the tenant angrily.

"I did," admitted the agent, "but you will recall that it was summer when I told you that. It was true then."—Chicago Post.

More Than Necessary.

"Has she any proof of his love?"

"He lets her brother ride his bicycle."—New York Herald.

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He Was Glad to Meet a Good Man, but It Didn't Work.

One day as I lounged into Central park at the Seventh avenue entrance an old man sitting on a bench beckoned me to approach. I saw at once that he was a stranger in Gotham, and as I looked upon him I could scent the new mown hay of the country meadow and hear the dinner horn blowing at the kitchen door at high noon.

"My dear young friend," he began as I sat down beside him, "I trust that you are walking in the straight and narrow path of virtue and integrity while surrounded by the temptations of a great city!"

I replied that his trust was well founded, and he continued:

"I have been in New York for a week, and it has made my heart ache to behold the sin and wickedness on every hand. I hope you are proof against the seductive influences of wine and cards and the theater?"

I humbly answered him that I never drank anything stronger than root beer, and not having a deadhead pass I never showed up at the theater. As for cards, I simply knew the ten of diamonds from the ace of spades.

"That is good!" he said as he laid his hand on my shoulder. "May I further trust that you do not attend horse races, dog fights and boxing matches?"

I solemnly assured him that he could trust, and he took my hand in his and feelingly exclaimed:

"I thank heaven that I have found one good and pure hearted man in this terribly wicked city! Had I not met you I should have gone home believing there was no exception. I am an old man, as you see, and I am simple in my ways. The other day I encountered a fellow being in distress and bought this gold watch of him to help him out. It is a bauble I do not wish to carry about or take home. They tell me it is worth more than what I gave, but I would let it go at the same price."

He took from his upper vest pocket a gold watch in a chamois skin cover and held it out to me.

"It's funny how things come about, isn't it?" I asked as I waved the watch away.

"How?"

"Why, I'm in the same line myself and was going to play you for a sucker on a glass diamond pin. Shake! How's biz with you? If you are new to the town, I can put you on to those watches at $50 a dozen. I worked two off last week at $75 each, but I can do better with the diamond racket. Let's find a quiet place and have a long talk!"

"Sir," said the man as he rose up and confronted me and restored the fake ticker to its pocket. "Sir, you are something of a liar and a good deal of a scoundrel; and I don't want anything to do with you! Good day, sir!"

And he turned and walked out of the park and up Fifty-ninth street, and I looked after him in such sorrow that the policeman on duty at the entrance took it for a case of colic and advised me to put in plenty of Jamaica ginger and not follow it with too much water.—Detroit Free Press.

Mr. Jefferson's Limitations.

The amusing ignorance of some people whose lives are spent away from cities in regard to the duties of an actor can be illustrated by one little incident told by Joseph Jefferson, which occurred while he was living on his plantation in Louisiana.

"I had been out duck shooting," said Mr. Jefferson, "and was being paddled slowly along the bayou in a canoe by my man Friday, a colored boy about 18 years old. 'Mr. Joe will you be mad if I ax you somefin?' said John, the colored lad referred to.

"'No, John. What is it?' said I.

"'What does you do in a show?'

"I told him it would be rather difficult for me to explain what my particular line of business was.

"'Well,' said John, 'does you swallow knives?'

"I told him I had no talent in that way.

"'Well, your son told me that you swallowed knives and forks and fire, and de Lord knows what all, and I believe he was just foolin me.'

"I agreed with him, saying he was quite capable of it.

"'Well, dere's one thing certain,' said John. 'You don't act in the circus.'

"I asked him how he could be sure of that. John burst into an immoderate fit of laughter, almost tipping the canoe over in his violent mirth.

"'Oh, no, oh, no, sah! You can't fool me on dat. I've seen you get on your horse. You ain't no circus rider.'"—Grand Rapids Herald.

"Hamlet" Up to Date.

The following synopsis of "Hamlet" is used in the playbills by a company now touring the country. It causes "Hamlet" to read like an old time melodrama. The final line is not based on the play:

SYNOPSIS.

Act I.—Elsinore. The palace. The platform before the castle. The appearance of the ghost of Hamlet's father, by whom is related his "strange and unnatural murder."

Act 2.—The feigning of madness. Hamlet arranges with the players to play before the usurping king (his uncle) a scene resembling the murder of his father. "The play's the thing wherein I'll catch the conscience of the king."

Act 3.—The plotting of the king and Polonius to test Hamlet's sanity. Hamlet's grief at Ophelia's complicity therein. The play scene. The king's guilt made clear. "I take the ghost's word for a thousand pounds." Hamlet and his mother. The slaying of Polonius. "I must be cruel only to be kind. Thus bad begins and worse remains behind."

Act 4.—Ophelia driven insane over Hamlet's demeanor and the slaying of her father. "I have a speech of fire which fain would blaze, but this folly drowns it."

Act 5.—The gravediggers. The burial of Ophelia. Hamlet and Laertes slay each other. The poisoning of the queen. Hamlet avenges his father's and mother's death. "Here, thou incestuous, damned Dane, follow my mother." The death of Hamlet. "The potent poison quite o'ercrows my spirit. The rest is silence." Good night, sweet prince, and flights of angels sing thee to thy rest.

Gentlemen will not spit tobacco juice on the floor, and boys will not be permitted to.

—Chicago Record.

FABLES DOWN TO DATE.

The Fox and the Farmer.

One day the fox approached the farmer, who was working in his field, and after saluting him with a great show of heartiness and friendship observed:

"I have called to have a talk with you on certain matters. For many moons I have been pained at your want of confidence in me. Why is it that you distrust me?"

"You have broken into my coop and eaten my chickens," replied the farmer.

"Yes, but that was long ago, before I realized the error of my ways. Know ye, O farmer, that my feelings have undergone a change and that I now fully realize how wicked it was in me to eat your chickens."

"So you don't keer fur chickens any more?"

"Not a rap, and I wish you to take me back into your confidence and trust me. I will even mount guard over your coop and keep the weasel and the polecat away."

"That's powerful good of you," said the farmer as he leaned on his spade and wiped the sweat from his brow. "Sure you have reformed, eh?"

"Quite sure."

"And you want me to trust you?"

"I do. I want to show you that I am worthy of your full confidence."

"Waal, I'm allus willin to extend a hand to a feller who is tryin to climb up, and you kin cum along with me."

"Thanks, dreadfully!" replied the fox as he chuckled behind the farmer's back and followed him to the coop.

Upon their arrival there, however, the fox found the coop empty of fowls, and in an indignant voice he demanded:

"How now, sirrah! I was to stand guard over your fowls, but I find none here!"

"Oh, as to that," replied Uncle Reuben, "I sold the whole outfit to a peddler yesterday, but you can remain by the empty coop and inform the weasel and the polecat that"—

"You go to grass, you old mossback!" interrupted the fox as he made a bolt for the woods.

Moral.—"Well, I kinder thought so!" said the farmer as he looked after the fleeing Reynard. "I hev allus noticed that when a bad man sets out to reform he is figgerin on gittin a softer snap than what he had before!"—Detroit Free Press.

The Travelers and the Sea Serpent.

Some travelers, journeying along the seashore after the season had closed, climbed to the summit of a high cliff when the town constable wasn't looking and thence looked over the sea. "Aha!" said one of the travelers, "What do mine eyes behold?" One of the other travelers laughed and remarked, "They are liable to behold any old thing if you hit much of this left over from last summer benzine that we purchased at the drug store yonder this morning." Then they all looked out to sea and behold a marine monster wriggling through the misty deep. "Give me your glass," said one, "that I may study this sea serpent's peculiarities." The other replied: "I have no glass. You'll have to drink from the bottle." Then they looked through their bottles, and, behold! the monster was 700 feet long, with immense horns and great, rude, staring eyes. The next day the newspapers printed its picture.

Moral.—Avoid being a sea serpent if you wish to keep your picture out of the Sunday publications.—Truth.

SOCRATES.

He Arrives Home From a Seven Days' Journey to Syracuse.

Socrates slid somewhat hesitatingly into the room and began taking off his sandals.

"Oh!" remarked Xantippe, and she held on to the word for quite a spell, till it appeared to consist of several syllables, each with a falling inflection.

"Oh!" she repeated, and this time she emphasized all the syllables at once, and gritted her teeth.

For Socrates, so the local paper said, had been up to Syracuse for a season to dispose of county rights in some of his new styles of philosophy, but it was generally known among the boys that he'd been taking in the football games, and a high old time he'd had of it.

"M'love," he said in a mollifying tone, while he worked off a sandal and laid it carefully on the plush covered album, "it—it sall ri'!"

"I know it's all rye," retorted Xantippe with grim humor, "and a trifle too much of it, with you off cutting up and me at home here tending four stoves all alone. Go lug me up a hod of coal."

Socrates had summoned his philosophy to endure whatever might come forth by way of temper, but at the mention of coal his haughty spirit rebelled. He drew himself up proudly and the effort sobered him.

In story books it seems an easy thing for a man to get sober.

"Xantippe," he said, speaking in the purest of Greek grammar, "is thy husband a dog that he should do this thing? Nay, but by my striped toga I will not. I am not strong enough."

"Not strong enough!" echoed Xantippe in a rising note that ended in a shriek. "Not strong enough?"

"No," rejoined the old man loudly. "Have I not but just returned from a seven days' sojourn in Syracuse?"

"Ye-es—oh, ye-es," assented Xantippe, tapping her heels and giving forth a hysterical scream to notify the neighbors that something worth while was impending.

Socrates wiped off his chin with a gesture of bold defiance.

"Well, then," he concluded in a tone of dignified triumph, "that settles it. For it is a well known proposition, long since laid down and embellished by the ancient Jews, that seven days make one week. Lug up the coal yourself."

And with that, children, Socrates got into bed without even the formality of removing his other sandal.—New York Recorder.

Wanted a Change.

The two small boys who wanted to fight Indians had gone some distance from home. The romance had dwindled, and a discouragement which neither liked to confess had taken possession.

"Look here," said one of them at last. "I've been playin I'm Sierra Sam for two days now, haven't I?"

"Yes," was the reply.

"Well, I'm kind o' tired o' that game. I think I'll play I'm the prodigal son."—Washington Star.

Her Little Hand.

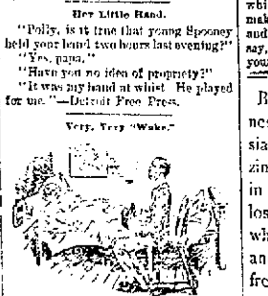
"Polly, is it true that young Spooney held your hand two hours last evening?"

"Yes, papa."

"Have you no idea of propriety?"

"It was my hand at whist. He played for me."—Detroit Free Press.

Very, Very "Wake."



Mike O'Flannigan—Well, how be's ye this marnin, Pat?

Pat McCarthy—Sure, I'm that wake that ye'll be comin to me wake before the end o' the wake.—Truth.

THE DRUMMER GOT AWAY.

By So Doing He Escaped Well Merited Punishment.

There were eight of us smoking our after supper cigars on the hotel veranda when a small man with a great deal of bustle and energy in his movements came out of the hotel office and called out in a general way:

"Gentlemen, is there a general out there?"

"I am a general, sir," replied one of the group as he half rose and bowed.

"Yes—ah!—glad to see you, general," continued the little man as he advanced and shook hands. "Now, then, have we any colonels present?"

"I am a colonel," replied three men in chorus as they followed the general's example.

"Ha! Glad to see you, colonels, very glad," said the little man as he extended a hand to each in succession. "Let's see. Have we a judge among us here this evening?"

"We have," replied two of the four others.

"So glad to see you, judges, so glad. Shake hands. Beautiful evening this. I presume you other two gentlemen breathe respective titles of major and professor?"

"We do," said the pair of us.

"Ah, glad to know it, awfully glad. Major and professor, shake hands, shake hands. Might have a little more rain, but we can't find much fault with this weather."

"And who are you, if you please?" asked the general.

"I? Oh, I'm only an ex-governor, an ex-cabinet officer, an ex-congressman and at present raising $6,000,000 to put another railroad bridge across the Missouri river. Keep your seats, gentlemen. I wouldn't think of intruding my company on such a distinguished assembly."

Next day when we found out that he was only a drummer for a Cincinnati shoe factory he had departed, and we couldn't give him the licking he deserved.—Detroit Free Press.

They Were Too Late.

The belated wayfarer was standing in the shadow of a building with both hands pointing heavenward while he gazed into the muzzle of a revolver. One footpad was holding the revolver where it would do the most good in case of an emergency and the other was going through the victim's pockets. The silence was so oppressive that the belated wayfarer finally felt obliged to speak.

"Think you are smart, don't you?" he said.

"We know our business," returned one of the footpads gruffly.

"Of course you do," said the belated wayfarer with something like a sneer. "You know that this is my pay day, I suppose?"

"Sure," replied the footpad. "That's why we laid for you."

"He ain't got but 63 cents, Bill," interrupted the one who had been searching the victim's pockets.

"Wot!" cried the other.

"That's right," said the belated wayfarer cheerfully.

"But you was paid today," insisted the man with the revolver.

"Right again," admitted the belated wayfarer in the same cheerful tone. "But somebody got in ahead of you, and you thought you were so all fired smart that I'll be hanged if I'm not glad of it."

"Somebody got your roll?"

"Yep."

"Who?"

"My wife came to the office after it this afternoon. Oh, you've got to get up mighty early to beat her."—Chicago Post.

Not a Fair Division.

"Mean man," said the man in the big ulster, with a nod in the direction of an old fellow with a fur cap.

"I don't know him," replied the man with plush ear caps.

"Lives next to me," explained the man in the big ulster. "He's a confidence man."

"Really!"

"Sure thing. Why, since I have been given a little insight into his character I always lock up the silver when I see him come home from work."

"Is he really as bad as that?"

"Worse."

"How did you find him out?"

"Well, he made a proposition that we should make a little pool on the walk cleaning problem. He was to keep the walks in front of both houses cleaned half the time and I was to keep them cleaned the other half."

"That certainly seems fair."

"That's what I thought; so we closed the deal. But when it came to arranging the periods during which each should do the work, he claimed to be entitled to first choice and I gave it to him."

"Well?"

"Well, he announced that he would undertake to keep them clean during the summer half of each year."—Chicago Post.

A Question of Legs.

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"Only three legs!" repeated the perturbed landlady in an injured tone. "Well, great goodness, that's two more'n you've got!"—London Tit-Bits.

The Contradiction.

Englishman—What will you take?

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Englishman—Contradiction! What on earth do you mean?

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Telephone 371.

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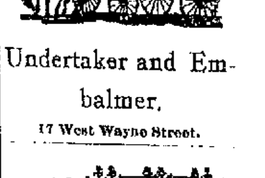

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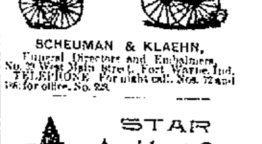

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AT THE WEST END.

The place in the store where the light comes in from every quarter there's a blockade.

Black Dress Goods

Are piled so high we scarce know where to stick another piece.

MOHAIRS. MOHAIRS. MOHAIRS.

Mohairs to the right and Mohairs to the left—and they're all right. Mohairs grow in popular favor, if growing is possible; and our faith in this silky crisp stuff is shown by the piles gathered here.

There's plains, dots, dashes cubes and splashes and many a crepy design.

MOHAIR SICILIANS, 54 inches wide, 90c, $1, $1.25, $1.50.
MOHAIR SHARSKIN, 40 inches wide, 50c.

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40 inch, 75c and 85c.
42 inch, $1.00.
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We're not forcing summer—just getting you ready when it comes. You'll not see such Dimities as there then; so you want to pick them out now.

25c Dimities now—were 37, to 50c a year ago, and the styles not near so handsome.

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Then there are lines of beauties at 12½, 10 and 8½c. You will find these at the White Goods section.

Men's Good Shirts.

Good in every sense of the word. The cheap on us good, the best ones made as good as a shirt can be made. All made of good Muslins. All have Linen Bosoms. All have the late improvements to strengthen the parts needed.

The Niagara unlaundried,	$1 00
The Niagara unlaundried,	75c
The Niagara unlaundried	50c
The Paragon unlaundried,	35c
The Niagara laundried,	$1 25
The Niagara laundried,	$1 00
The Niagara laundried,	75c
The Niagara laundried,	69c

Make the same difference in material.

Shirred Ginghams

A new wrinkle and a new crinkle—8 solid cases came in yesterday, and 8 cases are going to move out soon. They're too pretty and too good to stay long with us—price 8½c a yard, at the Gingham counter. Splendid apron check ginghams at 5 and 6½c.

Outing Flannels.

There has more outing flannels gone from our counters in the past month than has gone from half a dozen stores in three to six months. We had the bargains.

At 8½c there's one worth you're looking after.

Outings at 5c, 6c and 7c.

Percales.

You want them for the boy—and the man and some for dresses. A nice line of 10c ones, 32 inches wide, price 8½c.

Cretonnes.

An elegant line of new patterns at 15c.

Cretonnes too, at 7c, 10c and 12½c.

The 15c line above the average in designs and quality.

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EVERYBODY GOES TO

THE PANTITORIUM,

To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 65 and they will call for your work.

16 ARCADE,
Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Huntington Democrat: "Henry Woenker has returned home to Fort Wayne after spending Sunday here, the guest of a very dear friend and a brother."

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

You can depend upon Edmunds & Law. 1tf

Bluffton News: "Miss Vic Stone, of Fort Wayne, and Miss Cora Fowler, of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, are guests of N. K. Todd and wife."

OUR ANNUAL MID-WINTER PANT SALE

That is so anxiously looked forward to by the majority of the people in Fort Wayne and vacinity is now in full blast, and we are confident that this is the greatest

Special Pantaloon Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We have never been able to quote such low prices nor give you such a large and desirable selection of styles and fabrics.

$1.48

For Men's wool Pants in Cassimeres and Cheviots, that are worth from $2 00 to $2 50.

$1.98

For Men's all wool Pants in Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds, that sell the world over at $3 00 and $3.50; we have all sizes of each pattern.

$2.48

For Men's all wool Pants in fancy worsteds, black cheviots and cassimeres in elegant patterns and finely made. These would be cheap at $3.50 and $4 00.

$2.98

For Men's fine Pants in all fabrics and styles, that are worth $4 00 and $4.50 of anyones money.

$3.48

For Men's finest worsted and cassimere Pants, worth $4 50, $5 and $6. See window display.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 19 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.........No. 173.
Editorial Rooms........No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19—For Indiana: Fair tonight and Thursday warmer in northern portions tonight. warmer Thursday; northwest winds.

NEWS NOTES.

S. F. Fowrer, of the Oil Tank works has gone to St. Louis.

The D. T's will meet with Miss McCracken Friday afternoon.

Mrs. John Landenberger entertained with a pedro party last evening.

W. L. Carnahan, of 119 East Wayne street, has returned from a trip to New York.

Miss Mattie Bitner, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edward Major.

The Misses Rurode were charming hostesses for a progressive pedro last evening.

The Nineteenth Century club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Bessie Lincoln.

On account of sickness Mrs. Carey, of No. 46 Erie street, will not entertain the F. F. club on Thursday.

Th Bethany Christian Endeavorers will give an entertainment and social at the parlors of the new church.

D. C. Fisher left this morning for St. Louis and Memphis on a trip which will combine business and pleasure.

The Fort Wayne Curling club is playing a game at Centlivre's this afternoon. This is the annual point game.

Mrs. O. L. Lynn and son, of Homer, Mich., are visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. D. Curry, of South Harrison street.

Miss Eva R. Nelson gave a small card company yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Roger Butterfield, of Grand Rapids.

The Luther league will give a social and musical entertainment at Trinity English Lutheran church next Friday evening.

Columbia City Post: "George D. Crane, of Fort Wayne, is in the city transacting business relating to a large tract of land in this county."

The Current Topic club met last night in the rooms at the Fort Wayne Business college. The committees reporting were political and congressional news, foreign and local affairs.

The presidential reception to be given by the Epworth league of Berry street M. E. church Friday evening will be an interesting and novel event.

Hive No. 27, Ladies of the Maccabees, will give a social at the home of Mrs. Charles Flynn, No. 11 Cass street, this evening. Supper 10 cents. A literary program will be carried out.

Dr. S. J. Derbyshire, of Warren, is visiting his wife, Mrs. Luella Derbyshire, at 50 West Superior street. The doctor is attending the sessions of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical association.

Miss Josephine Carter, of Maple avenue entertained the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church last evening. The amusements were of a literary nature and very entertaining as well as instructive.

Mrs. Frank Gruber, whose serious accident was mentioned in THE SENTINEL, was suffering last evening from a high fever. Today, however, she was better, a fact her many friends will be pleased to learn.

At the meeting of the Afternoon Pedro club with Mrs. Learmonth yesterday, Mrs. G. A. Rabus won the first prize, Miss MacDougall the second, Mrs. Edward White the consolation and Mrs. Catherine Hecker the booby.

On account of conflicting meetings previously arranged for the same date, the literary entertainment which was announced for next Friday evening at the Wayne street M. E. church by the Epworth league has been postponed for one week from that time.

Charlie Kane will visit the dog show at Chicago next month. Charlie owns a wire haired fox terrier, "George E" which he will enter for a premium at the show. This dog is one of the finest bred dogs in America, his pedigree leading to the most noted dog families of Europe. He was brought from Europe by Buffalo Bill. Charlie is confident of winning first premium for George E.

St. Patrick's church was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, when Miss Jennie Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Scott of East Butler street was married to Mr. David O'Rourke. The bride was attended by Miss Katherine McDonald, of Montreal, Canada, and Mr. Will Donald, of Jamestown, N. Y., was best man. Mr. and Mrs. O'Rourke left for a wedding trip to Chicago and other western cities.

Pine Apples and Malaga Grapes.

Fresh shipment nice large, ripe Havana Pine Apples, 25c each.
Spanish Malaga Grapes, 20c lb.
Sweet Valencia Oranges, dozen, 20c.
California Navel Oranges, dozen, 35c.
Best Messina Lemons, dozen, 20c.
Hot House Lettuce, lb 15c.

FRITZ HORSE.

The newsboys have been invited to attend the matinee performance at the Empire theater on Saturday afternoon and have accepted.

Butter, Eggs and Meats.

Best Country Roll Butter, lb 16c.
Good Jar Butter lb 9c.
Fresh Country Eggs, dozen 14c.
Best Hams 10c, Shoulders lb 7c.
Home Grown Potatoes, bushel.
Best Michigan Potatoes bushel ...c.

FRITZ [illegible].

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Empire Theatre tonight. The Madison Square success "Hazel Kirke"

C. S. Stone, of Indianapolis, is in the city.

M. J. Houlihan went to Indianapolis this morning.

Miss Helen Stoyzer has returned from a visit in Ann Arbor.

Ex-Mayor V. J. Emerick, of Toledo, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. B. M. Cowden and daughter, of 408 Calhoun street, have gone to Crestline for a short visit.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the R. R. Y. M. C. A. will meet Thursday, at 2.30 p. m., at their rooms.

Mrs. W. P. Harter and son, of Goshen, Ind., are in the city, the guests of her parents, 202 West Washington street.

Mrs. Will H. Bond, who was here to attend the funeral of her brother, Wm. Grove, returned home to Chicago this morning.

William Snyder has taken out a permit to build an addition to his house on lots 25 and 26, Spencer's addition, to cost $200.

Landlord W. D. Jones, of the New Aveline, continues to improve. His condition today is the best that it has been for several days.

Captain Tyler, who was formerly teacher of penmanship in the Fort Wayne public schools, but who now resides in Rome City, is arranging to open a writing school in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Dougall have returned from their wedding trip. In answer to questions this morning, Mr. Dougall says that marriage is not a failure, and that those who say it is don't know.

Mrs. Robert Craik, of Brookside, gave a thimble party yesterday afternoon, in honor of Misses Armstrong, of Tweswater, Ontario, who are visiting in the city. Those present were, the Mesdames Lankens, Brauer, Borghorn and the Misses Bawsen.

About twenty of the doctors who were in attendance at the medical society meeting yesterday went to the Aldine restaurant in a body last evening and took supper. Special tables were arranged for them.

The annual masquerade ball of the Fort Wayne Saengerbund society was given last night in the hall on West Main street. About 150 couples attended and participated in the grand march, which was led by Mr. John Auer and Miss Annie Trammel.

Drs. Porter, Bulson, McCaskey, Wheelock and Von Sweringen have received formal invitations to attend a banquet at the Hotel Denison, Indianapolis, on Saturday evening, Feb. 22 given in honor of Drs. Senn and Hecktoen, of Chicago. The invitation list includes twenty-five prominent physicians from various portions of the state and it is expected that the "medics" in attendance will have a big time.

Miss Anna Rost, of Charles street entertained last evening in observance of her twenty-first birthday. The guests were self invited and Miss Rost did not know of their coming until they had arrived at her home but they were none the less welcome and had a good time. Weisenberger's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing, and those who did not care to dance, passed the hours pleasantly in playing cards and in other amusements.

AT BETHANY.

Annual Business Meeting and Reception of Pastor and Wife.

Last evening, at Bethany Presbyterian church was held the annual business meeting of the congregation. The meeting was called to order by the pastor, Rev. George E. Davies, in the auditorium of the new church edifice.

The principal business was the election of one trustee and John W. Flickinger was chosen unanimously to serve for a term of five years.

Next on the program was a review of the work of the Y. P. S. C. E. for the past year by the secretary of the society, Miss Dara Stover.

Miss Maud Van Tilburg read the report of the Sunday school for the year. The school has 149 scholars enrolled. The total attendance during the year being 5,330.

Mrs. John Brown, secretary of the Ladies' society, made the annual report of the work accomplished by the society.

Julius H. Beyerline, of the board of trustees, made the financial report of the church and showed that part of the business to be in a flattering condition.

F. M. Smaltz, clerk of the session, reported 149 members on the church roll; nine having been received by letter and forty-five on confession of faith during the year.

The pastor made a short address congratulating the members on the work done during the past year and suggesting new plans of work for the year to come.

After the regular business, Rev. Davies and wife held a reception in the parlors of the church. Refreshments were served and a pleasant hour was spent in conversation.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

Official Call Issued by the District Chairman.

At a meeting, composed of the chairmen of the democratic central committees of the several counties of the Twelfth congressional district and the district committeeman, held at Fort Wayne, on the 8th day of January, 1895, it was determined that the convention for the nomination of a democratic candidate for congress, to represent the district, would be held at the opera house in the city of Kendallville, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 7TH, 1896,

at 2 o'clock p. m. All delegates heretofore elected, or such as may be hereafter elected to said convention are requested to take notice and be present at the convention at the time and place above stated, without further notification. Democrats generally are requested to be present. The representation for the several counties is as follows, and is based upon one delegate for each one hundred and fractions of fifty votes and over cast for Claude Matthews for governor in 1892:

Allen	50
DeKalb	22
Noble	23
Lagrange	11
Steuben	11
Whitley	22
Total	39

THOS. E. MARSHALL,
District Chairman.

ORGANIZATION EFFECTED

Of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical Association.

The meeting of the doctors of northeastern Indiana and northwestern Ohio which was held at the city hall yesterday, resulted in the organization of the Upper Maumee Valley Medical association. A lengthy program of papers on scientific and medical subjects was carried out as published in THE SENTINEL some time ago.

The following officers were elected by the new association:

President—Dr. C. B. Stemen, Fort Wayne.

First Vice President—J. K. Wood, Van Wert.

Second Vice President—T. P. Williams, Angola.

Secretary—Dr. G. W. McCaskey, Fort Wayne.

Treasurer—Dr. M. F. Porter, Fort Wayne.

Censors—Drs. J. L. Gilbert, C. E. Slocum, J. W. Squires, A. P. Buchman, H. A. Weers.

Chairman of Executive Committee—Dr. K. K. Wheelock, Fort Wayne.

PRIVATE MASQUERADE

Given at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Connelly.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Connelly gave a very pleasant masquerade at their home on Monday evening, and among the unique characters taken were the following:

Katie Lineman as Flower Girl.
Nettie Suter as Topsy.
Mary Lautz as Fancy Dress.
Alice Hess as Sailor.
Orphia Trease as Egyptian Girl.
Maude Myers as Flower Girl.
H. Tegtmeyer as Summer Girl.
Maggie Connelly as Old Fashion Girl.
Mamie Connelly as Waiter.
T. Tegtmeyer as night.
Lilia O'Shaughnessey as Bowery Girl.
Mamie Reeman as Night.
Alice Dolan as Grandma.
Maggie Connelly as American Girl.
Louis Heusel, as Wild Man from Borneo.
Andrew McCarty, as American.
Wm. Connelly, as German Bum.
Clarence Springer, as Millionaire Sport.
Frank Hensel, as Mexican Bill.
Charles O'Shaughnessey, as Irishman.
John Connelly, as Sailor.
Jack Gatzaware, as Clown.
Georgie Connelly, as Little Clown.
Arthur Suter, as American Bum.
John Falvey, as New Woman.
John O'Shaughnessey, as Coon.
John McCarty, as American.
Albert Suter, as Chinaman.
Richard Erichson, as Uncle Sam.
Albert Deibold, as Dog.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. John L. Trease, of Cedarville. W. Kleinsorge and Henry C. Yobst furnished the music. Supper was served at midnight.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Entertainment To Be Given at the Simpson M. E. Church.

The following is the program to be be given by the Simpson M. E. church, Thursday evening at 7:30 at the Washington's birthday entertainment:

Song—"America"	
Invocation	
Solo	Mrs. Ella Flack
Sketch of Washington's Life	Alta Hines
Recitation	Myrtle Lewis
Mandolin solo	Mr. Mart Hanna
Recitation	Grace Hines
Recitation	Lizzie Ayark
Vocal solo	Mr. Miller
Recitation—"Baby Washington"	Maude Haskell
Duet	Bertha and Mamie Peckham
Recitation—"Washington"	Harry Hipes
Piano solo	Mr. Wm. Killen
Recitation—"Washington's Grave"	Miss Clara Walters
Music	Trio Mandolin Club
Tableau—"George and His Hatchet"	
Music	Mandolin club
Tableau—"The Washington Family"	

Carpets made and laid free, during February, at Foster's.

WAS HAVING A TIME.

William Fuller Touched for a Roll by a Woman.

He Had Drawn His Pension—John Hartman's Jag Lands Him in Jail.

William Fuller, of Albion, an old soldier, came to Fort Wayne a few days ago to draw his pension. After he had received his money he visited a resort on East Main street and fell in with a lot of bad females. While the old man was having a hilarious good time one of the girls stole his money. Then

HE WAS ROBBED

he was made drunk and thrown out into the alley, where the police found him and took him to the county poor farm. Yesterday he related his story down town and the police now have no hopes of ever catching the naughty people who touched him for his wad.

JUST A LITTLE TOOT.

John Hartman, an employe of the Grand Central hotel, took on a comfortable load of the fiery juice of the corn last night and Officer Parsino looked him up to keep him from falling through some of the store windows on Calhoun street. This morning he appeared in police court and said that he had never been there before, but the mayor didn't think that made any difference, so sent him over for eleven days.

CUPID'S BONDS

Unite Miss Sadie Caldwell and Mr. M. C. Baker.

This afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. James Caldwell, 51 West Berry street, occurred the marriage of Miss Sadie E. Caldwell and Mr. M. C. Baker, the district passenger agent of the Nickel Plate railroad. The newly wedded couple leave at 6:25 for an eastern trip and on their return will make their home in this city. The bride is a charming young lady and has a large circle of friends in this city. Mr. Baker is popular in railroad circles and holds the esteem and confidence of his company. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Moffat, the pastor of the First Presbyterian church, in the presence of a few of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

15 RETAIL SHOE HOUSES

Thing & Co. Run the Largest Bargain Shoe Firm in America.

All this week, Ladies' first quality Pure Gum Rubbers—you pay 50c for them at any other store—Thing's this week price, 23c.

Misses Pure Gum Rubbers, 14c.

One thousand other bargains at Thing's this week, 32 Calhoun St.

Large Red Boot.

Notice.

We contemplate remodeling the second floor of the Vordermark building, No. 32 Calhoun street, into a nice hall for lodges and societies, and we intend to fit it up nice and cosy. Lodges and societies wanting a nice, comfortable home, with all conveniences, centrally located, low rent, and only one easy stairs to climb, will please call on me at 32 Calhoun street, 9 to 12 or 2 to 5 p. m.

19,20,22 J. W. VORDERMARK.

Trampled by a Horse.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Feb. 18.—Lawrence Kestler, a merchant of Osgood, while driving on last Monday, by a sudden stop of the vehicle was thrown over the dash onto the horse's heels, seriously injuring him.

Special Sale of fine Extension Tables at Foster's this week.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Reserve seats for the second Westminster Concert, Thursday evening, are now on sale at Woodworth's drug store. Price, 10c. 1812

Empire Theatre tonight. "Hazel Kirke" by the Lyon Comedy Company.

For Sale.

For sale a second-hand Reedy hand elevator in good condition. A. L. Johns & Co., 51 East Columbia street. 18 10t

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The Most Inexperienced Can Use Diamond Dyes With Success.

Simple Directions on Every Package Enable Even a Child to Get Good Colors With Diamond Dyes—Color One to Six Pounds of Goods for 10 Cents.

There are no dyestuffs on the market to compare with the Diamond in ease of use, as well as beauty and fastness of color. The most inexperienced person can dye cotton wool, silk, feathers, etc., bright and brilliant colors by following the plain directions on the Diamond Dye packages.

There are thirty Diamond Dyes for silk and wool, and fourteen special colors for cotton, all of which are guaranteed to do more and better work than any other package dyes on the market. They are made specially for home use, and as many of the dye-stuffs are peculiar to the Diamond, it is impossible to get them in any other way.

One ten-cent package often saves the cost of a new gown, for it makes the old one look like new.

A Cage for the Bird.

Five dollars down and five dollars a month will buy a lot in Lakeside that is sure to double in price within a few years. Young-man-without-a-wife, now is your time to lay the foundations for a pleasant cage to put your bird in when you catch her. Commence paying for your lot now, and by the time you are ready, the Lakeside company will help you to a loan with which to build.

To Physicians in Regular Practice

Will be sent free by mail a sample bottle of Dr. Edson's Aseptolin, the newly discovered treatment for consumption, etc., together with Dr. Edson's paper, reprinted from the New York Medical Record of February 8, 1896. Those who have patients suffering from consumption are urged to test this remedy. None but physicians can use it. Address Equitable Chemical Co., 30 Reade St., New York.

Latest agony. Novelties in Delf Chairs. (Foster's Court street windows.

A speciall class in plain and ornamental penmanship will be conducted at the International Business College from 4 to 5 o'clock, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons, and from 7.30 to 8.30 on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. For particulars call at college office, fourth floor, Schmit block. 17,19,22

$50 to $50,000 to loan on farm and city property or personal security.

The J. F. SCHELL Loan and Investment Co.,
24-25-26-27 Pixley Block.
Fort Wayne, Ind.
Telephone 485.

Edmunds & Law's first figures are their last figures. 1tf

Empire Theatre tonight. "Hazel Kirke"—first time in this city at popular prices.

Dittoe Grocery Co. has moved to 24 W. Berry St.

Wonderful bargains in Turkish, Moquette, Velvet, Smyrna and Wilton Rugs at Foster's this week.

Wall Paper, 8 yards, white back, new designs, 2c a roll.

HEINE & ISRAEL,
11 eod tf 123 Broadway.

Edmunds and Law employ electricians. 1tf

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Children's Diseases.

Nine tenths of them originate in the stomach. Sentine regulates the stomach, insures perfect digestion; gives healthful, natural rest and sleep, absolutely without opium. Cures colic, costiveness, sour stomach, worm affections, restlessness, irregular appetite, colds and diarrhoea. Controls the dangers of teething, allays feverishness, prevents convulsions and gives perfect health. Sold by Freese & Ranke, J. N. Nenfer, Gross & Pellens. Druggists—25 cents.

"A DOLLAR SHOW FOR A DIME."

EMPIRE THEATRE.

NO SHOW TONIGHT.

2 Shows Wednesday 2,

Matinee 2:30, Evening 8:15

LYONS' COMEDY CO.

—IN—

HAZEL KIRKE.

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SPECIAL SALE BLACK DRESS GOODS This Week.

We show the largest and best selected stock of medium price Black Dress Goods in the city.

36-Inch All Wool Black Serge at 29c, worth 37½c.
40 Inch All Wool Black Serge and Henrietta at 37½c, worth 50c.
46 Inch All Wool Serge at 50c, worth 75c.
36-inch Black Fancy Goods at 25c.
40 inch Black Fancy Goods at 42c, worth 50c.
40-inch Black Fancy Goods at 50c, worth 75c.

We also show a large variety of new Colored Novelty Dress Goods at reduced prices this week.

New styles in Spring Ginghams, Zephyr and Percales at special low prices for this week.

New styles in Spring Prints sold at actual cost this week.

All Winter Underwear sold at actual cost to close.

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